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FREE BRIDGE CELEBRATION PLANS ROUNDING INTO FORM.

The Demonstration, One Week From Today, Expected to Draw Big Crowd to Connellsville.

A START ON THE DECORATIONS

Was Made This Morning, the First Work Being Done on the Bridge. Many Italians Will Be in Line. Meeting of Aides Tonight.

One week from today Connellsville will be celebrating the opening of the Youghiogheny bridge free of tolls. The arrangements are being rapidly shaped up and this morning Munmaux & Son began decorating for the event. The first decorations to go up will be on the bridge. The Keystone Lumber Company is erecting the arches to be placed at both ends of the bridge and will have them completed by Thursday morning. The decorations will be completed Thursday evening or early Friday. The speakers' stand will be located in Greenwood and will be prettily decorated.

The Connellsville Planing Mill Company is at work constructing the two most important floats that will appear in the parade. One will be a model of the old suspension bridge and the other of the old foot bridge of 100 years ago. Col. James J. Barnhart has notified the committee that he will have a unique float in the parade but he will not divulge its nature. Where and by whom it is being constructed the committee has been unable to learn.

At a meeting of the Italian benevolent societies last night it was decided to have the largest turnout of the Italians that has ever been known in the coke region. The Italians have also notified the committee that they have arranged for their own bands and will bear all expenses incidental to the display.

One of the special features of the evening will be the fantastic parade. The committee has offered three prizes for the funniest costumes and make-up to appear in the parade. The parade will begin at 8 o'clock when all the bands will assemble at the bridge and all those desiring to participate are expected to gather in line. Nothing but red fire will be permitted during the evening, and no explosives of any kind will be allowed, although any other noise making devices will be encouraged. The judges for awarding the prizes have been selected but their names will not be divulged, and they will be stationed along the line of the fantastic parade and give their decision after the parade has passed.

A meeting of the aides appointed for the parade will be held this evening in Merchants' Hall and details necessary for moving the parade in an orderly and compact manner will be devised.

FAYETTE MUST PAY

For the June Primary, About $6,000, the State Refusing to Foot Bill.

UNIONTOWN, Sept. 24.—Fayette county must pay the cost of holding the June primary, something over $6,000, as the State has refused to refund the money covering the cost of the primary, as provided in the Act of Assembly regulating the uniform primary. Word has gone out from Harrisburg that not a single county in the State will be reimbursed for the expense of the uniform primary until it is determined by the courts or the Attorney General whether or not the act is constitutional. The act provides for the payment by the State of money expended under the uniform primary law, but not a county in the State has received a penny, and Fayette will be out over $6,000 unless the act is upheld. Nearly all of the 67 counties in the State have held two primaries since the new act was passed, and in no instance has any of them been repaid, although the act provides for such repayment.

Several other counties are out big sums, among them Allegheny county, which has a claim of $40,000 which the State refuses to pay. Philadelphia has a claim of $75,000 and Lackawanna county's bill is $20,000.

A Counting Bee.

The clerks in the Greensburg postoffice have arranged to hold a counting bee.

Will Make Big Showing.

The Latrobe firemen intend to make a big showing at the firemen's convention at Pittsburg next week.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Charter Members of Uniontown Country Club Hold a Meeting.

At a meeting of the charter members of the Uniontown Country Club at Uniontown yesterday the following officers were elected:

President, Judge Nathaniel Ewing; Vice President, Judge R. E. Umbel; Secretary and Treasurer, E. W. Playford; Board of Governors, two years, J. W. Adams and S. M. Graham, and one year, Frank W. Seamans, Jr., and Charles F. Kefover.

VACATION ENDS.

President Preparing Today to Take His Departure From Oyster Bay for Washington.

Special to The Courier.

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Sept. 24—Several pounds heavier than when he arrived here in the summer and feeling in the finest fettle as a result of his outdoor life, President Roosevelt will take leave of his summer home tomorrow, his intention being to make a hurried visit to Washington before leaving on his trip to the West and South.

Though he has enjoyed his vacation immensely, it has not been all play and no work for him during the summer, for it is now known that during the past five or six weeks he has nearly completed his annual message. The message is practically finished and according to report it is the longest of American Presidential messages. It is said that the message not only aims to set forth recommendations for the coming session of Congress, but also the Republican policy for the campaign next year.

The summer has been a very restful one for the President. In no summer in the past has he seen so few people. He is in the pink of condition for his Western trip, which will be the last one he will make before he ends his term as President, unless Secretary Taft should be nominated, in which case it is not at all improbable that the President will make a number of speeches in his favor.

DOG ATTACKS MAN.

Ruble Farmer Caught It in Hen Coop and Animal Charged Him When Wounded.

Special to The Courier.

SMITHFIELD, Sept. 24.—Thomas Moser, living near Ruble, heard a commotion among his chickens Monday morning about 2 o'clock. Taking his gun he went out to investigate and found a dog making havoc with his flock. He fired and wounded the animal whereupon the brute charged him, springing for his throat. He threw up his hand, which the dog got in his mouth, tearing and lacerating the hand and wrist in a painful manner.

It is rare for a prowling dog to attack a man under such circumstances, and in view of the fact that there are dogs with the rabies in the community, the supposition is that this dog was afflicted with that disease.

CAPT. HUGH A. GORLEY.

A Native of Fayette County Dies in California.

Word was received by T. S. Gorley of Uniontown yesterday of the death of his uncle, Capt. Hugh A. Gorley, which occurred at his home, San Rafael, Cal., September 14, 1907. He was born in Uniontown November 25, 1833, being the youngest of the nine children of Capt. Hugh A. and Matilda (Thomas) Gorley.

Only Alfred now survives of this family.

Public Lands Thrown Open.

BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 24.—(Special.) Seventy thousand acres of Wood river (Carey Act) lands were opened for entry today at Gooding and Alberta, in this State. The land was withdrawn from the national domain by the State of Idaho, and a large part of it is exceedingly fertile.

Hydrophobia is Feared.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—Wiley McMullin, a farmer of Mt. Pleasant township, was taken to the Pasteur Institute in Pittsburg yesterday for treatment, it being feared that hydrophobia will result from the bite of a dog, inflicted last Saturday.

EXCURSIONISTS ARRESTED.

Scottdale and Meyerodale Men Taken in Tow on Board Train.

John Grogan of Scottdale and Herbert short of Meyersdale were given a hearing yesterday afternoon before Squire Hayes of Meyersdale, charged with being drunk and disorderly on the Baltimore & Ohio Cumberland excursion train Sunday. The men started a rough house on the train and were about to have a fistic encounter when Officer W. T. Bayless, who was detailed for duty on the train, placed them under arrest and locked them up at Meyersdale. They were fined $7.50 each for their misconduct.

A FALL OPENING DRAWS BIG CROWD.

Wright-Metzler Company Have Their Annual Event Today.

STORE HANDSOMELY DECORATED

From Top to Bottom and the Display of Stock Is a Delight to the Shopper's Eye Who Is Out in Full Force This Afternoon.

Hundreds of people will visit today the spacious store of the Wright-Metzler Company, it being the eighth semi-annual opening and not an effort has been spared to make the event one of the most enjoyable and successful ones since the opening of the store. The decorations are most elaborate, the entire store being transformed into a bower of nature. Green and yellow are the predominating colors and the decorations are in keeping with the fall season. In viewing the large display windows one gets only a glimpse of the beauty of the interior of the store.

In the front of the store is a large tank representing a swamp out of which are growing cat tails, swamp grass and pond lilies. In the center is a large illuminated jack o'lantern. The tank is surrounded on large pillars. The pillars through the center of the store correspond with the decorations in the front of the store. At intervals in the main aisles are archways entwined with pumpkin vines. Along the ledges are some walls over which are gateways covered with trailing pumpkin vines. From the center of each gateway are depending illuminated jack o'lanterns. Large sun flowers also play a part in the decorations, each alternate pillar bearing large bunches. Every available space is banked with ferns and palms.

The decorations form a pretty background for the brilliant display of merchandise. The counters are decorated with silks and dress goods in all the latest colors and weaves while the cases are attractive with a grand display of neckwear, leather goods, hosiery and pearls. The display of shoes and gents' furnishing goods is equally as great. The ladies' ready made department on the second floor is an assemblage of tailored suits, including the mannish effect, evening gowns, theatre cloaks and waists of many different styles. The millinery department on the same floor is a fitting companion for the suit department. The display of this is an elaborate one, many different furs, mehlug mink, sable and lynx being shown. There is little change in the style of furs this year.

The basement department is resplendent with cut glass, china, etc. The large display windows are in keeping with the interior of the store. The upper window has a background of trailing pumpkin vines while in the corner is a large rustic lamp. The display of millinery and ready made gowns are two of the features of the decorations. The lower window is devoted to a display of gents' furnishing goods in all the newest and most up to date styles.

This event is looked forward to by many shoppers of Connellsville and vicinity with the greatest interest and it is likely, if the weather permits that the attendance will be a record breaker. The decorations were in charge of B. J. Shaughnessy, decorator. Music will be furnished both afternoon and evening by Kiffer's orchestra. Thursday evening the Uniontown store will be formally opened, and it is likely that many people from Connellsville will attend.

Infant Dead of Burns.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Kirby of Dunbar died late yesterday afternoon as the result of burns which it suffered yesterday afternoon.

Mad Dogs at Fairchance.

Fairchance has a mad dog scare, several persons having been attacked.

A VERDICT OF $1,235

Returned This Morning in Case Against West Penn Railways.

THE FULLER CASE IS NOW ON.

Sisters Are Suing for Over $2,000 They Claim from a Lease—Another West Penn Damage Suit Is Also on Trial Today.

UNIONTOWN, Sept. 24.—A verdict of $1,235 was returned at the opening of court this morning in the case of Geo. Wymer against the West Penn Railways Co. Wymer sued for injuries he received in a wreck on the West Penn at Uniontown. He sued for $5,000. Following the return of the verdict another damage case against the West Penn was taken up. It is that of Mrs. Mary Williams, who is suing the trolley company for $5,000. She claims she sustained injuries at Coalspring in September, 1906, while she was getting off a car at her home at Coalspring. She alleges the car started before she had alighted and that she was dragged several yards, sustaining severe injuries. The defendant company claim Mrs. Williams jumped off the car while it was in motion, not waiting for it to stop.

The case of Elizabeth M. Fuller and Mrs. Harriet Anderson against Mrs. Sarah Fuller, widow of the late Frank M. Fuller, was taken up this morning before Judge E. H. Heppert. The suit is the outcome of a lease of a farm which Frank Fuller secured, he with Elizabeth M. Fuller and Mrs. Anderson owning a third interest in it. The plaintiffs claim Frank Fuller owed them something over $5,431 at the time of his death from his house of the farm. The trial will take all of today and part of tomorrow likely. Mrs. Sarah Fuller is executrix of her husband's estate.

The citizens of Fairchance have filed a petition against granting J. M. Ramage a license at Fairchance, claiming one hotel sufficient there. Mr. Ramage has built a fine hotel at Fair Chance, which is about ready to open.

W. H. Jackson, Francis Morrison and S. M. Foust have recommended the building of a bridge at Mill Run by the county, it being their opinion that the bridge is necessary.

John M. Hankins, Treasurer of the Summit Hotel Company, has filed an answer denying the claim of R. H. Ferguson, a subcontractor on the work, who claims $1,000 is due him.

WELCOME BABY.

Papa 65, Mamma 49, and First Though Mitchells Are Wed 25 Years.

Special to The Courier.

OHIOPYLE, Sept. 24.—There is not a happier home in all the United States than that of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mitchell, who reside in the country near here. On Friday a bouncing baby boy, the first sort of a little chap, was born to them, and since his arrival he has enjoyed the best of health.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell were married 25 years ago and this son is their first child. Mr. Mitchell is past 65, while Mrs. Mitchell acknowledges to 49 summers and winters.

DIED AT CONFLUENCE.

Welcome H. Patton of Electric Company is a Victim of Tuberculosis.

Welcome H. Patton, an employe of the West Penn Electric Company, died yesterday at Confluence of tuberculosis. Mr. Patton came to Connellsville from Ohio about three years ago and engaged with the West Penn Company. He was a constant sufferer from his ailment.

He went to Confluence several weeks ago, thinking that the mountain air would help him, but he rapidly became weaker until the end came yesterday. He was about 35 years old and is survived by a widow.

SYNOD MEETING.

First Business Session of United Presbyterian Church Conference.

NEW CASTLE, Pa., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—The real business of the First Synod of the West of the United Presbyterian Church began today. Rev. Dr. John McNaugher of Allegheny, retiring Moderator, delivered a sermon. Then J. S. Dice, the new Moderator, assumed the duties. There were about 400 ministers and lay delegates present.

Crusade at Monongahela.

A Sunday observance crusade has been started at Monongahela.

A NEW FIRM.

Westmoreland Grocery Company Leases the F. T. Adams Building.

The Directors of the Westmoreland Grocery Company of Greensburg were joined here today by Christian Felty and have closed a lease for the F. T. Adams building to be used as a branch house.

Mr. Felty has been connected with the Connellsville Grocery Company for the past seven years and has disposed of his stock and has connected himself with the new company, which will be ready for business October 1.

INSULTED LADIES IN NICKELODEON.

Patrick Foley, Charged With Caruso Act, Given 10 Days to Lockup.

ATTACKED THEM AT THE SHOW.

Frank Anderson of Allegheny Loaded Up With Joy Water and Came to Connellsville But Didn't Want to Squander Money Paying Fine.

Patrick Foley of Leisenring No. 1 was sentenced to serve 10 days in the lockup today by Acting Burgess Porter. Foley was charged with being drunk, disorderly and insulting ladies, and some very ugly evidence was given by witnesses against him. Employes of Wallace's nickelodeon stated that Foley was sitting in the place and that he was acting in a very reprehensible manner, insulting ladies by doing the Caruso act. They objected and left the place. Finally Foley endeavored to make a bed of Charles Chapman and the latter resented it. Foley then used vile and indecent language. After the show was over Foley became hostile towards Chapman and just as there was about to be a mill Officer James Mitchell took Foley to the police station. He denied everything this morning. Bernard Cunningham appeared against him also and charged him with the larceny of a large salt cellar, which he stated he saw Foley take, and that he had done the same trick before, when visiting the restaurant. Foley said he was never in the restaurant before.

Frank Anderson of Allegheny said he got drunk in the classic suburbs of that aristocratic village and then started for Connellsville with the jag. As he jogged along merrily over the B. & O. the jag became worse and when he arrived here he had a full bunch of conversation water aboard, which led to his arrest. He said that he was hunting work, but his eyesight was bad while he was in Allegheny. He exhibited $6.75 and said that was all the money he had, and pleaded for leniency. A fine of $5.50 was levied against him. He then got mad, saying that the Burgess wanted him to squander all his money. He was remanded to the cells, but before the hearings had been completed he pleaded to be released and forked over the $5.50. He didn't go on his way rejoicing. Six others were sentenced 48 hours each for being drunk.

NO WRECK.

Freight Engine Jumped the Track But Fast Train No. 97 Reported Safe.

Many rumors were circulated this morning of a large-sized wreck at Scott Haven on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in which Engineer Armstrong had been killed. He hauls train No. 97, but that train passed safely over the road. There was also a report that three men had been killed in the wreck, but the railroad authorities state that no one was injured and the wreck was only the engine of a freight train jumping the track.

Engineer Armstrong boards at the Hotel Annex when in town and is well known. Many inquiries were made there about him this morning.

Says Husband Didn't Threaten.

Mrs. Thomas Stewart of South Connellsville called at The Courier office this afternoon and stated that her husband did not threaten to kill her in a family quarrel Saturday when her husband was arrested and brought to the lockup by the State police.

Took Ten Years to Build.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 24.—(Special.) After nearly ten years' work Trinity Cathedral in this city was formally dedicated today. Many prominent churchmen of this and other cities participated in the ceremonies of dedication.

FRICK COMPANY CITY EMPLOYES TAKING DAY OFF IN COKE REGION.

Come Through the Center Nearly 100 Strong and Are Having a Big Time In Looking at Coke Plants.

GAVE PRESENTS.

Employes of Dunbar & New Haven Railroad Remember Officials.

The employes of the New Haven & Dunbar railroad presented C. A. Wagner, an employe of the seales, and Maurice Miller, yardmaster, with two very handsome presents last evening. Mr. Wagner was presented with an umbrella while Mr. Miller was given a very pretty signet ring.

Both young men have resigned their positions.

HEALTH OFFICERS.

Men Appointed By the State Who Are Authorized to Act in Time of Epidemics.

Under the new Health Law officers have been appointed for all the townships throughout the State. Where any infectious disease is reported to them they confer with the Secretary of the State Board of Health, who is Dr. White in this district, and work under his directions. Following are the health officers for the county:

Allan Hyatt, Connellsville, Connellsville and Bullskin and Upper Tyrone townships; Andrew Mechanick, resigned, Dunbar township; Grant Raymond, Uniontown, R. F. D. No. 4, Menallen, North Union and South Union townships; Dr. Cope, Carmichaels, Greene, Luzerne and Redstone townships and Brownsville; Howard Garner, Grindstone R. F. D. No. 25, Jefferson and Washington townships; Stone & Strong, Upper Middletown, Franklin township; Dr. J. L. Cochran, Star Junction, Perry township; Isaac Hostetter, Uniontown, Georges township; Dr. Charles Gibson, Tyrone, Henry Clay township; David Rankin, Coal Hill, Wharton township; George Schaffer, Ohiopyle, Stewart township, Washington and Dawson, Lower Tyrone township; Frank Cobb, Cheat Junction, Nicholas Springhill and Georges township; Norman E. Hall, Normalville, Springfield and Saltlick townships.

ON INSPECTION.

Deputy Factory Inspector J. M. Sterling of Latrobe on a visit to Town.

Deputy Factory Inspector J. M. Sterling of Latrobe arrived in town last night and today is looking over conditions in and around Connellsville. His factory inspection in Connellsville will not require a great deal of time, but he will visit a number of places where large numbers of men are employed in general trades and note conditions.

One of the most important matters on which he has to report is the employment of children and also the ventilation and general condition of workmen in buildings. It is not likely that he will find much amiss in Connellsville.

NOT A CANDIDATE.

Hearst Declares That he Cannot Conceive the Conditions Under Which He Would Run.

United Press Telegram.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—"I am not a Presidential candidate on the Independent League or any other ticket," says W. R. Hearst, answering the Chicago Tribune's assertion that the League's approaching conference in Chicago is formally to launch the New York editor's boom.

Hearst says he cannot conceive the conditions under which he would consent to be a Presidential candidate.

YOUNG MAN KILLED.

Wm. McKennan Caught By Falling Boom in West Virginia.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—Word was received here today that William McKennan Hall, aged 31, was killed by the falling of a boom while superintending work below Wellsburg, W. Va. He was a student at Washington and Jefferson University in 1899 and was a prominent football player several years ago.

Likely Fatal Injuries.

Mrs. Patrick Fern, an aged resident of Latrobe, sustained probably fatal injuries when she fell down a flight of stairs, receiving internal injuries and a broken hip.

The Weather.

Fair and cooler tonight and Wednesday is the noon weather bulletin.

PRESIDENT LYNCH WITH THEM.

Stopped at Standard Works En Route to Connellsville and Then Go to Leckrone Where They will See Coal Mining and Coke Making In Its Every Phase.

In two special cars the Pittsburg office force of the H. C. Frick Coke Company passed through Connellsville at 11.40 o'clock this morning, having left Greensburg at 9 o'clock for a tour of the Connellsville coke regions. J. W. Brown, Superintendent of Transportation personally conducted the trip, while C. P. Parker, general auditor, had charge of the details of the outing. The party was accompanied by Thomas Lynch, president of the company, who took active interest in seeing that everyone was enjoying themselves.

The party upon leaving Greensburg went to the Standard plant of the company where a short stop was made and those aboard the cars took a hasty look at the biggest plant in the Connellsville coke region. The party intended to make a stop at Coal Brook but found time pressing them and as they desired to get to Uniontown in time to take lunch at the Titlow and Lehaney hotels the stop was not made. A projected trip to Trotter and Leisenring was also abandoned for the morning, not sufficient time may allow the party to get there this afternoon.

After luncheon at Uniontown the party will go to Fairchance thence to Leckrone. The later place is down on the itinerary for a good inspection by the office force, and here they will be given a thorough insight into the mining of coal and burning of coke. More time will be spent at Leckrone than at any other point. In the event that there is sufficient time to visit other plants Mr. Parker will make a rearrangement of the schedule.

The party expects to arrive in Connellsville at six o'clock this evening where they will partake of supper. A. A. Straub of the Smith House, who is a warm personal of nearly every member of the party has arranged an elaborate repast for half a hundred of them, while Chas. W. Patterson of the Wyman will entertain the remainder. Mr. Lynch stated this morning that there were 97 in the party, and this may be increased by some of the superintendents joining the party on the return trip. The party will reach Greensburg late this evening and return to Pittsburg.

In the party were about 15 young ladies, employes of the city offices. They stated that they had a lovely time on the trip from Greensburg to the center of the coke region and there was more of it in anticipation. Among the officials aboard the cars were:

Thomas Lynch, President; W. H. Clingerman, General Superintendent; Clay F. Lynch, Assistant General Superintendent; D. H. Coble, Secretary; C. P. Parker, General Auditor; P. Kellar, Treasurer; W. C. Armstrong, Cashier; William Askin, Chief Accountant; W. C. Muse, Chief Shipper; J. D. McCreary, Auditor Heela Coke Company; J. W. Anawalt, President Union Supply Company, William McWilliams, Secretary Union Supply Company; Joseph Atcheson, Car Tracer; John Wardley, Assistant Auditor; William Freeman, Purchasing Agent United States Coal & Coke Company; Charles Spencer, General Agent; John Carr, Chief Accountant; Carl Miller, Auditor United States Coal & Coke Company.

The party only stopped in Connellsville five minutes.

CARNIVAL COMING.

New Haven Will Again Have One in October.

Beginning Monday, September 30, the great L. Frank Hatch carnival will show in New Haven under the auspices of the New Haven and Connellsville bands.

There are ten big attractions and the shows are among the best in the United States. The company carries 16 cars and the attractions include Happy Land, the Japanese Theatre, trained animals, etc.

Operated on for Appendicitis.

Luke Russell of Upper Middletown, aged 29 years, underwent an operation for appendicitis yesterday afternoon at the Cottage State Hospital. The patient is resting easy and is getting along as well as can be expected.

LIKELY WAS MURDER.

Crew in Charge of Train That Killed Foreigner Think So.

WHEELBARROW WAS FIRST HIT

When Members of the Crew Found Man at Valley Beneath Tank of the Engine—Had Been Paid Day Before But Money Was Missing.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Sept. 24.—There is a suspicion that foul play may have figured in the killing of John Dombroski, the foreign coke worker of Broad Ford, whom a freight train ran over at Valley Saturday night and who died in the Connellsville hospital the next day. The train was in charge of Conductor Charles Steiner of this place and Engineer Charles Eckley. They ran into a coke barrow on the track and seven cars went over it. While Steiner was pulling the wreckage of the barrow out from under the train the engineer heard a groaning near the engine and found that some one was under the tank. George Dannicker crawled under and found a man lying on his face and straightened him out so that the engine could be moved sufficiently to rescue him. That the man had not been dragged is evidenced by the presence of his hat lying alongside the track opposite where he was found.

The hat had a cut in the side and the man's head was cut, but this might have been from a bolt or beam catching him. His legs were cut off but he was still conscious. He could not tell how he came to be along the tracks, and no liquor could be smelled about him. He had been paid off that day but no money was found on him, nothing but a collar and necktie wrapped up in one of his pockets. It looked very much to those who were there as if the man had been knocked out, robbed and left on the track. Why the wheelbarrow was on the track is another thing that puzzles the railroad men.

APPOINTMENTS

Made in U. B. Church, Rev. W. V. Barnhart Being Succeeded Here by Rev. A. L. Funk.

CLEARFIELD, Pa., Sept. 24.—A radical change in the system of government of the United Brethren in Christ Church was made at the annual sessions of the Allegheny Conference which came to an end Sunday night. The office of Presiding Elder was abolished, necessitating the consolidation of the East and West districts of the conference and the creation of the office of Superintendent. The Superintendent will have charge of the business interests of the conference only. Rev. J. S. Fulton of Wilkinsburg was elected to the new office. The retiring Presiding Elders were Revs. J. I. L. Rossler and G. W. Sherrick.

Pastors were assigned as follows: Altoona, First, W. G. Silverson; Second, S. R. Seese; Third, D. J. Good, Bellwood, A. B. Wilson; Bellefonte, D. Barnbieger; Braddock, First, R. J. Read; Second, I. P. Truxal; Bethel, M. L. West; Beaver Falls, A. L. Bengo; Belarso, Oscar Krentz; Cambria, J. E. Ott; Clearfield, S. J. Wilson; Clearfield, C. C. Miller; Conemaugh, B. L. Seal; Coalport, H. A. Buffington; Connellsville, A. L. Funk; Dubois, J. C. Gunzebach; Dunlo, G. G. Fisher; Dudley, N. S. Bailey; East Pittsburg, U. B. Brubaker; East Freedom, C. D. Bingham; East Salem, Os. H. Alban; Everson, J. S. Hughes, Fairmont, U. N. Newill; Fairhope, G. W. Emlabitzer; Fayette, B. J. Hummel, Gaigon, J. A. Harkins; Greenwood, J. F. Kelly, Greensburg, F. P. Rossolet; Hemlock, J. M. Lesher; Hillard, H. W. Rassler, Houserville, J. R. Miller; Huntingdon, C. W. Sherrick; Hooversville, C. E. Speasard, Houstontown L. L. Gotshall; Industry, C. L. Welsh, Johnstown, Park Avenue, R. C. Shaw, Johnstown, Walnut Grove, J. W. Wilson; Knoxdale, J. J. Funk; Latrobe, I. W. Stahl; Ligonier, J. B. Kelm; Liverpool, William Beach; Mahaffey, J. W. Watters; Madison, J. Showers; Mapleton, J. H. McLeod; Middletown, to be supplied, Monessen, J. B. Rutgers; Millvale, W. A. Sites; Mt. Pleasant, G. L. Graham; McKeesport, First, C. W. Davis; McKeesport, Shoemaker Memorial, J. I. L. Rossler, McKeesport, Cluett Avenue, T. W. Burgess; Middlesburg, H. F. Rebet, New Brighton, A. Davidson; New Florence, H. S. Ralston; New Paris, J. W. Hendricks; Orbisonia, W. H. Blackburn; Path Valley, J. A. Smith; Port Matilda, F. A. Risley; Pitcairn, R. Jamison; Philipsburg, G. W. Fulton, Punxsutawney, W. S. Wilson; Rochester Mills, R. M. Hamilton; Rockwood, G. W. Sparks; Runville, G. T. Stewart; Somerset, R. L. Echard; South Williamsport, D. J. Davis; Shade Gap, Mitchell Houser; Scottdale, W. W. Williamson; Springfield, J. S. College; Susquehanna, J. C. Erb, Three Springs, I. H. Dean; Tyrone, T. P. Orner, Wall, J. S. Feightner; Waukeska, I. W. Grok; West Decatur, J. A. Mills, Westmoreland, J. L. Leichliter; Woodland, G. W. Shires, Wilmore, W. H. Spangler, Williams Grove, J. C. Rupp; Windber, E. L. DeHaven Wilkinsburg, W. V. Barnhart; Youngwood, E. G. Sawyer, Zion, S. May Whitehead.

BRYAN TO SPEAK.

At Annual Banquet of Nebraska Democrats This Evening.

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—Considerable interest is manifested in political circles in the annual banquet tonight of the Democratic State Central Committee of Nebraska.

A number of prominent party leaders of this and other States are among the invited guests. William J. Bryan will be present and will deliver one of the principal addresses of the evening.

LUTHER LEAGUE.

Delegates Gather at Allentown for the Convention.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—The annual convention of the Luther League of Western Pennsylvania opened here today with a good attendance of delegates and visitors. The proceedings will last two days, during which time there will be addresses by several prominent league workers in adition to the transaction of a considerable amount of routine business.

MRS. ANNA F. SWEITZER,

Wife of Simon P. Sweitzer, Died at Her Somerset Home on Saturday Evening.

Special to The Courier.

SOMERSET, Sept. 23.—Mrs. Anna F. Sweitzer, wife of Simon P. Sweitzer, a distiller, who is well known all through Pennsylvania and adjoining States, died early Saturday morning from cancer of the liver and was interred Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Union cemetery. The Rev. Robert L. Patterson, pastor of Trinity Lutheran church, and the Rev. Dr. Hiram King, pastor of the German Reformed church, officiated.

Deceased was born on May 16, 1860, and was 47 years, 4 months and 4 days of age. She was a daughter of Ferdinand and Martha E. Norwat. She was married to Simon P. Sweitzer about 10 years ago. A daughter, Edna, and her husband survive. Mrs Sweitzer had been in poor health for some time and had undergone several operations, but all to no purpose. A host of friends regret her untimely demise.

HAD A BIG DANCE.

Two Hundred Negroes Gather at Swedetown Monday Night.

THEY INVADE SCOTTDALE TODAY.

Police Were Kept Busy Watching Them and Several Arrests Were Made on Account of Various Complaints.

SCOTTDALE, Sept. 24.—As the overflow of a negro dance at Swedetown last night, when about 200 revelers gathered together, the town was thick with them this morning and complaints were coming in fast. Before 9 o'clock there were six of the colored fellows in the lockup. State Trooper William Durkin caught the first two on Broadway and from that on he and Chief of Police Frank McCudden were busy bringing them in. The two that Durkin captured came down on an early car from Mt. Pleasant and used such language that passengers made complaint. Durkin had some difficulty in bringing them in and Chief McCudden who was feeding the prisoners in the lockup, hearing the trouble, threw down the bread and rushed to the other officer's aid. The fellows when seacheed were found to be well provided with cocaine. With in a short time four more were brought in, with various charges of indecency and drunkenness against them.

At 9.15 two colored women were brought in. They were swearing and acting in a general disorderly manner all over town. The two raised such a hullabaloo in the cell that the borough building was hardly habitable for the crowds that were in paying taxes. They were given a hearing and fined $10 this forenoon.

Several of the prisoners were Uniontown colored society gents, and these were equipped with dice, cocaine, razors and everything necessary for popularity. Undeniably they outshone the more humble members of society from about here.

M. E. CONFERENCE.

Opening Session Will Be Held at Milwaukee Tonight.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—Many prominent clerical and lay members of the Wisconsin district of the Methodist Episcopal church are here for the annual conference which begins its sessions this evening in the Asbury M. E. church. Bishop John W. Hamilton will preside and the opening address will be made by Mayor Becker.

Addresses during the conference will be made by Dr. Edward M. Mills of Cincinnati, Dr. Theodore S. Henderson of New York and Dr. Samuel Plantz of Lawrence University.

Autoists Discuss Good Roads.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—An interesting convention of automobilists and road builders from all the New England States, New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey, met here today to consider the subjects of good roads and legislation.

Greene County Fair.

Greene county's fair at Carmichaels begins today. The races start tomorrow. The race events include running races as well as light harness races. The purses are $400. Tomorrow's card is 2:33 pace 2 30 trot and half mile running heats.

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NEW HAVEN.

Local Matters From the Sister Borough Across the Youghiogheny.

Miss Louise Torrence of Main street returned home yesterday from Ohiopyle, where she was the guest of her sister Mrs. F. D. McGough, for the past two weeks. Mrs. McGough accompanied her home.

Miss Anna McDowell of Dunbar has resigned her position as clerk in G. T. Griffin's grocery store.

Miss Helen Carroll of Sixth street was the guest of Miss Ida Kane of Everson over Sunday.

The following letters are advertised by Postmaster S. B. Hecklesmith for the week ending Thursday, September 19. Mrs. Mary Brown, Mrs. Rose Braxton, Miss Mary Dugall, Miss Mary Darby, L. M. Harrison, H. C. McLaughlin and Mrs. Amelia Mickola.

Mrs. James Cypher of Sixth street has recovered from a siege of typhoid fever.

Caleb Campbell of Main street has returned home from a visit with friends and relatives in Uniontown and Dawson.

N. R. Martin of Perryopolis was in town yesterday for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoop of Main street were the guests of their son, William Hoop, of McKeesport, Sunday.

George Snyder of the I. C. R. R. in Pittsburg today on business.

Squire Robert Wright of Dawson was in town yesterday on business.

E. A. Wagoner of Main street was transacting business in Pittsburg yesterday.

Contractor T. F. Nichols spent Sunday at his home at Bridgetstown.

David Ramsay, who is employed at Tarr, spent Sunday at his home on Main street.

Mrs. Hartley Tate of New Salem was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Williams of the Hill yesterday.

Jack Pierce, who has been ill of typhoid fever at his home on Eighth street, Greenwood, for the past several weeks, is able to be out again.

Miss Waltz of Connellsville is the guest of the Misses Searson of Greenwood.

Matthew Quinn of Greenwood is visiting friends in Pittsburg.

Rev. Milton Gladden of Fairchance was the guest of his brother, James Gladden, of Main street, yesterday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wadsworth of Latrobe and granddaughter, Miss Anna Burkholder, of Limestone Hill, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Wadsworth of Dickerson Run Sunday.

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St. Louis 9 Brooklyn 1.
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	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	100	40	.716
Pittsburg	86	54	.613
New York	80	62	.563
Philadelphia	74	62	.544
Brooklyn	63	77	.450
Cincinnati	59	82	.419
Boston	53	85	.384
St. Louis	44	97	.312

Games Tomorrow.

Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Boston at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

All games postponed, rain.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	81	53	.605
Detroit	83	56	.597
Chicago	83	58	.589
Cleveland	80	60	.571
New York	65	72	.474
St. Louis	59	80	.425
Boston	58	82	.414
Washington	44	92	.324

School Men's Convention.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Sept 24.—(Special.)—The County School Superintendents of the State of Washington assembled here for their annual convention today in response to the call of State Superintendent R. B. Bryan. Proceedings will continue until Friday.

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An ad in our classified column will bring you results. One cent a word.

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TO CATARRH SUFFERERS.

Good Advice and Liberal Offer From a Well Known Connellsville Druggist.

A. A. Clarke has been advising all who suffer from any of the symptoms of catarrh, such as offensive breath, dryness of the nose, pain across the eyes, stoppage of the nose, discharges and droppings in the throat, coughing spasms and general weakness and debility, to use Hyomei. He does so far as to offer to refund the money to any user of Hyomei who is not perfectly satisfied with the results.

Quick relief follows the use of Hyomei treatment, the stoppage of the nose is removed, the dropping ceases, the breath becomes pure and sweet, and the catarrhal germs destroyed and their growth prevented.

Hyomei is the surest, simplest, quickest, easiest and cheapest way to cure catarrh. It does not drug and derange the stomach; it goes right to the seat of the trouble, destroying the catarrhal germs and healing and vitalizing the tissues.

Go to A. A. Clarke today and buy a complete Hyomei outfit for $1.00 with the understanding that if it does not give satisfaction, your money will be refunded. All you have to do is to inhale a little occasionally in the air you breathe, using the pocket inhaler that comes with every outfit, when the symptoms of catarrh will quickly disappear. Try it, you will be surprised and pleased at the results.

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Are you afflicted with Catarrh, the symptoms and consequences of which are too well known to be repeated?

Are you afflicted with Deafness, partial or complete? Are you warned by ringing noises in the ear of the extension of the catarrhal process to the ear?

Do you suffer with Dyspepsia, loss of appetite, bloating of the stomach or any of the forms of catarrhal inflammation of the digestive canal?

Have you severe Bronchial trouble, hacking cough, pain in the chest, loss of flesh? Have you been warned of approaching consumption?

Do you suffer from Rheumatism, for which numerous and prescriptions have proved unavailing?

Do you suffer from an oppressed feeling, a choking or smothering sensation, irregular pulse, shortness of breath, or fluttering or palpitation of the heart?

Do you suffer from Kidney trouble? Have you a pain in the back and have you been told that your malady will result in serious, if not fatal disease?

Do you suffer from Eczema or some other disfiguring skin disease that causes much distress to both body and mind?

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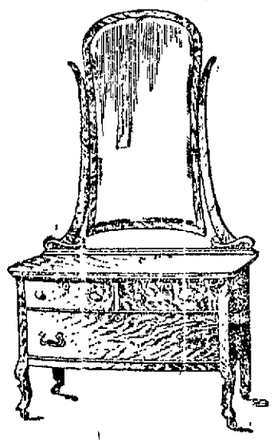
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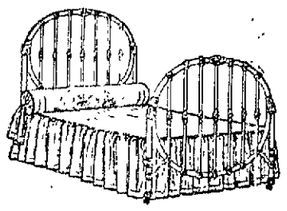
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Princess Dressers

We take great pride in exhibiting this particular line of handsome Princess dressers. Styles that you never saw before. Some that will take your eye at first sight. The unique construction and dainty carvings will please you. A Princess Dresser makes your room look a hundred times prettier. Prices run from



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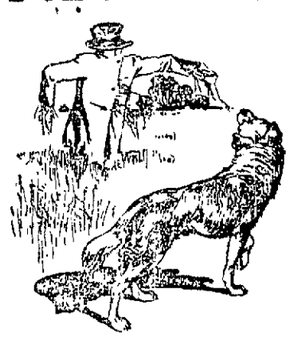
An Iron Bed like this one would look fine in your room. This bed in particular is neatness from top to bottom. It is constructed of the best steel tubeing and is enameled with three coats thoroughly baked in. You'll say that it suits you.

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SOLD ON MERIT

Every pair of shoes I sell are sold on their merit. Any old customer of mine can tell you the selfsame thing. "Merit wins every time," and so do my shoes." If you buy a pair of shoes sold on their merit you will always find they are worth the money, provided you buy them from JOHN IRWIN, as that is as far as I go. Only speak for myself. And so you will find it with every pair of shoe JOHN IRWIN sells. They are sold on their merit. A man should always sell good shoes. There are a thousand reasons why, and one reason why I always sold good shoes was simply this that when I sold a man a pair he always came back for another. I have never seen the rule broken, and you never will when you sell a shoe on its merit.

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The News of Nearby Towns.

SMITHFIELD.

Chatty Letter From the Metropolis of Georges Township.

SMITHFIELD, Sept. 23.—H. R. Sackett, wife and others acknowledged their deed Friday to Calvin Shoaf and wife to a lot of ground in North Georges township. Consideration, $100.

John H. Moser of Anderson's Cross Roads was transacting business in the borough Saturday.

The funeral escort from Gallatin Lodge, I. O. O. F., of this place, that accompanied the remains of Stewart Burkley to St. Peter's Church, beyond the mountains, on Friday, did not get back until dark, it being a long day's drive there and back, besides the conveyance that part of them were in broke down going over and some of them had to walk back part of the way. Undertaker Nixon of Fairchance was the funeral director.

Mrs. Garrett Monoghan of Nicholson township was a borough shopper Saturday.

Mr. Husband of Mt. Pleasant, with a party of six others who have been touring the country in his big Pierce touring car, broke down between here and Morgantown Friday. The chauffeur brought the car this far Friday night and the rest of the party took the B. & O. to Uniontown. Mr. Husband returned with Mr. Johnson and a machinist from Mr. Johnson's garage Saturday morning and the car was repaired, the damage being a punctured tire. The big car then proceeded on its way. It looked as if it had encountered some rough roads, being literally covered with mud, so that the numbers on the plates were not visible.

I. D. Miller has bought six acres of ground from the Penn Coke Company and is building a fine cottage on it.

Attorney T. S. Lackey and wife of Uniontown were calling on Jacob Weaver Sunday.

John McCready of Dunbar called to see Mr. Weaver Sunday.

G. Haught, J. N. Crow, Pt. Marion; H. P. Taylor, Miss Sarah Griffith, Earl Templeton, W. B. Taylor, T. D. Smith, Charles Honsaker and Chas. B. Taylor were registered at Black's Sunday.

John High and wife of Woodside were visiting their son, Joseph High, and family Sunday.

G. A. Feather is transacting business in Pittsburg for a few days.

The B. & O. section men met in the Odd Fellows' Hall Sunday and formed a preliminary organization.

Gallatin Lodge No. 517, I. O. O. F., nominated the following to fill the various offices for the term beginning October 1, to be voted on next Saturday evening: Noble Grand, George Hastings; Vice Grand, William Hardin, H. Breakiron, Donald Abraham, Silas Vanbrennen and Omer C. Willson; Recording Secretary, E. W. Field, Financial Secretary, Samuel Jackson; Treasurer, J. M. D. Low and I. C. Sutton; third member of Relief Committee, John Shoaf and J. C. Mowrey, Representative to the Grand Lodge, I. C. Sutton, H. B. Gulher and H. R. Breakiron; Trustee, H. O'Neil and R. C. Britt. District Deputy Grand Master P. C. Britt notified the Lodge that he would install their officers Saturday evening, October 5.

SMITHFIELD, Sept. 24.—D. W. Henderson, candidate for District Attorney, was in this community today looking after his political interests.

Alfred O'Neil of Uniontown was a business visitor in the borough today.

C. D. Crow is building an addition to his residence and otherwise improving his property on Morgantown street.

Several from this place will take in the Carmichaels fair this week.

A little bit of fire felt comfortable this morning.

OHIOPYLE.

Notes From the Little Mountain Resort Up the Yough.

OHIOPYLE, Sept. 24.—Bert Seagle of this place was looking after business matters in Confluence today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holt of this place left yesterday for Clarion county to visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Nellie Adams was visiting her friends in town yesterday.

Brown Brady was calling on friends in town last week.

Mrs. J. G. Tissue who has been the guest of friends and relatives in town for the past few days left Saturday for her home in McClellandtown. She will also visit her mother, Mrs. Pry Beyner of near that place for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor left yesterday for Uniontown to visit relatives.

Mrs. John Boyd of Meadow Run was shopping in Connellsville yesterday.

R. O. Wilson, B. & O. right of way man of Pittsburg was in town yesterday.

B. R. Slagle was a business caller in Confluence yesterday.

F. M. Miller, traveling salesman, arrived in town last evening to do some canvasing.

F. M. Cunningham was looking after business matters in Connellsville last evening.

Mrs. R. C. Boyd and grandson, Elmer, who have been the guests of relatives at Ursina for the past few months returned to their home last evening.

Miss Nancy Deemer of this place was visiting friends in Connellsville last evening.

OHIOPYLE, Sept. 23.—Miss Leah Potter of this place left yesterday for Philadelphia to attend school at that place for several months.

William Dehass of Pittsburg spent Sunday with friends in town.

Miss Martha McFarland of Bear Run spent Saturday with friends and relatives in town.

The picnic that was held at Bidwell Saturday was largely attended from this place in the afternoon. A base ball game was held between the Bidwell team and a pick team from Ohiopyle. The Bidwell team was defeated by the score of 23 to 1. The game was played one-sided from start to finish. All that attended the picnic had an enjoyable time.

Miss Sadie Kennedy of Uniontown, who has been spending the past week with relatives at this place returned to her home Sunday.

Mrs. M. Hall of Connellsville spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Jacob Daniels of Pittsburg spent Sunday at his home here.

Joseph Chuck of near Uniontown was at his home here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Stewart and children of Connellsville were the guests of relatives in town Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Blanche Markley of this place left yesterday with her sister, Mrs. William Ritenour to make her home.

Glen Cadwallader of Connellsville spent Sunday with friends in town.

Roscoe Bailey of McKeesport was visiting friends and relatives in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ritenour and son, who have been spending the past several weeks with relatives in town returned to her home in McKeesport.

Ross Tissue of Bear Run was visiting friends in town Sunday.

Robert Thrope was calling on relatives in town yesterday.

MEYERSDALE.

Local and Personal Mention from the Big Somerset County Town.

MEYERSDALE, Sept. 23.—David Cronin, the Confluence representative of "The Commercial" arrived here this morning to report the happenings for that sheet at the races, which start tomorrow.

W. D. Lambert of Somerset, one of the managers of the Grand Opera House, was in town this morning arranging for the several attractions that will occupy the boards in that popular play house each night this week, beginning with "The King Bee," a four-night show.

A. J. Goss of Garrett spent yesterday with friends and relatives at this place.

Robert Dailey, until recently a clerk in the local offices of the Somerset Coal Company, came up from his home in Romney, W. Va., and spent Sunday with friends here, leaving this morning for Morgantown, W. Va., where he will enter college for the coming term.

A. M. Johnson, manager of the Hotel Wabash, at Casselman, arrived in town this morning and will remain during the fair and races, being a director of the association.

William Miller, who is working at the carpenters' trade at Turtle Creek, spent Sunday with his wife and family on Cherry street.

R. B. Ellis, the popular and efficient operator for the B. & O. at Garrett, spent between trains here today upon a business mission.

E. R. Bishop, who is employed in an engineering corps for the Somerset Coal Company at their Jenner mines, is taking an enforced vacation, owing to a severely sprained ankle and is staying with his parents Editor and Mrs. G. E. Bishop on Grant street.

Mr. J. O. Getty, cashier of the First National Bank of Grantsville, Md. spent Sunday as the guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. O. G. Getty of North street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dixon spent Sunday with friends at Johnstown.

John Wakefield, a prominent contractor of Ellsworth, Pa., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wakefield of Meyers street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hill, who spent the past week as guests of the former's brother, W. H. Hill of Main street, returned yesterday morning to their home at Philadelphia.

Crowds are arriving on each incoming train to attend the Sixth Annual Fair and Races which begins tomorrow. The entry list of horses is an exceptionally fine one, and there will be some lively stepping during the four days of the races. The side attractions are numerous and interesting and there will be all sorts of amusement there for all who attend.

DAWSON.

Live News From the Busy Little Town Down the Yough.

DAWSON, Sept. 24.—The Dawson baseball team did not play the Smithton team Monday on account of wet weather.

Misses Daisy and Bess Huston were Connellsville callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Herbert of East Dawson are taking in the sights at the Jamestown Exposition.

Miss Florence Rosser of Carnegie spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. McGill.

Mrs. Frank Trowbridge of Rochester is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bush, Railroad street.

T. S. Molleston, who had charge of a park in Toronto, Canada, the past season, is home for a few days stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Molleston.

Mrs. J. L. Cochran of the Junction spent Saturday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Huston.

Postmaster Charles J. McGill was a Connellsville business caller Saturday.

James Dougherty, chief clerk at Dickerson scales, is home from a few days' visit at Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Miss Emma Jones and T. Robb Deyarmon are home from a few days' visit in Jefferson township at Mt. Deyarmon's old home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. McGill spent Sunday at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Adeline Anderson New Haven.

E. K. Cochran left Saturday for Indiana, where he will enter the Indiana State Normal School.

Miss Gwendoline Richter of Connellsville spent Sunday here with friends.

William Blackstone and Shade Fuller were calling on Dawson friends Saturday evening.

Mrs. Adeline Anderson of New Haven was calling on Dawson friends last week.

Mr. Phillis, of the Pittsburg Dry Goods Company, was in town Monday, calling on his large trade.

Fred. Battliger came over from Newell and spent Sunday with his family in North Dawson.

Mrs. Nelson Newmyer, after a few days' visit here with friends and relatives, has returned to her home at Duquesne.

Invitations have been received here from Connellsville for a dance to be given by the Hi-Town Outing Club in Pritchard's Hall, Monday evening, September 30.

PERRYOPOLIS.

Paragraphs From Famous Old Village Washington Laid Out.

PERRYOPOLIS, Sept. 24.—Course tickets for the High School Literary Course of fine attractions will be put on sale next Saturday morning at 8 o'clock as follows, Star Junction Company store, Layton, Hamilton's store, Perryopolis; First National Bank. There will be no seats sold or reserved before the above hour, therefore all will have the same opportunity. Course tickets mentioned in these columns Saturday last, $1.00. Admission to single attraction 35c. Only course tickets will be sold evening of the attraction. Special train for each attraction both ways.

Membranous croup was the cause of the death of the seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Burke of Star Junction Friday morning.

Robert McQuiss of Greensburg was visiting friends here Sunday. Mr. McQuise is a relative of William Patterson of High street with whom he is staying.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bunting of Dunbar, parents of Mrs. J. M. Hodgkins drove over yesterday and spent the day in our town.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, an employe of the P. R. R., cousins of Miss Cintha Reed of West Independence street spent Sunday in town.

CONFLUENCE.

Interesting Items From Somerset County's Hustling Town.

CONFLUENCE, Sept. 23.—Lloyd Farrell of Mt. Pleasant was visiting his parents today.

Bert Krutchman, one of our Confluence boys at present employed in McKeesport, visited his mother today in company with some friends from McKeesport.

Alfred Frank and H. S. McClure Jr. were fishing the Yough river yesterday. They report a fair catch.

H. M. Kephart has returned to Confluence. He has been on a business trip to the east for the last week.

Fred Arshack, one of our coal operators, returned from Philadelphia from a business trip.

Harry Daniels of Pittsburg visited his family today at Harnedsville. We regret to learn that Mr. Daniels intends moving from here in the near future.

O. P. Hagar of York City, York county, Nebraska, is visiting his brother-in-law, J. C. Show. Mr. Hagar is a large and prosperous land owner in Nebraska. He is one of the pioneer farmers of his state and waged battle against the grasshopper plague in 1873 and 1874. Mr. Hagar thinks that the so-called grasshoppers were neither more or less than the locusts which were sent as a plague upon Egypt some centuries ago.

Bert Hagar formerly of Nebraska, at present employed in a clerical position with the H. C. Frick Coke Company at Lemont was calling on friends today.

West Burkholder of Scullton, Pa., one of our most prosperous farmers, and cattle raisers of the county, was in town today. Mr. Burkholder also owns a cranberry farm, which is very productive and a rare natural berry in this state.

CONFLUENCE, Sept. 24.—H. C. Ferguson, representing Arbuthnot, Stevenson & Company of Pittsburg wholesale house called today. Mr. Ferguson makes this a headquarters and drives several miles in a circuit around us.

Harry Hauer of the Maryland Shoe Company, Cumberland was a business caller today. Mr. Hauer is one of the best known traveling men on the road and one of the oldest, the writer having known Mr. Hauer for a period extending over thirty years. He is still selling shoes and as active as ever.

Jasper Augustine, one of the coal magnates of Uniontown, passed through here today.

Geo. M. Kemp of Harnedsville left here today on a business trip through West Virginia. Mr. Kemp is president of the Village Nurseries located at Harnedsville.

J. L. Lackey of Cumberland was a business caller today.

W. P. Henson of Connellsville was calling on friends yesterday.

John C. White of Pittsburg stopped on his way to Farmington, W. Va. where he is interested in the coal business.

Samuel A. Kendall of the Kendall Lumber Company left for Kendall today in the interest of his company.

James Black, an insurance man also engaged in the coal business near this city was a caller today.

Out of town people on our streets today were: John Augustine, Uniontown, Pa., Julia F. Ross Addison, P. M. Kinsman, Detroit, M. B. Harvey Long, Ursina Pa., J. H. Long Meyersdale, Pa., R. Howard, Uniontown, Pa., R. S. Lytle Pittsburg, Pa., and E. B. Fitzgerald.

Stauffer.

STAUFFER, Sept. 23.—Miss Estella Blackburn of Greensburg spent Sunday with friends here.

Joseph Shearer and son Daniel of Connellsville spent Sunday at the home of D. F. Harbaugh.

George Armel of Greensburg spent Monday here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hays of Donegal spent a few hours with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones and two daughters, Eva and Birdest, spent Sunday in Donegal.

Mrs. C. B. Hebenthall who has been seriously ill, is slightly improving.

Deeds Recorded.

James Parks and wife to Harry J. Felix and Katie Felix, for a house and lot in Everson, $1,850, May 21, 1907.

The Monongahela Land Company to Nathan C. Walters, for a lot in West Masontown, $125, September 16, 1907.

Jacob Herr to the H. C. Frick Coke Company, for right of way over land at Leisenring No. 2, $1, September 20, 1907.

Andy Malls to Barbara Malls for a lot in Brownsville, $1, September 20, 1907.

David Hensel and Samuel Hensel to Nathan N. Hensel for a tract of land in Springfield township, $200, March 12, 1907.

Oregon Methodists Meet.

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—Everything is in readiness for the annual conference of the Methodists of Oregon, which will be held during the next ten days in Grace M. E. church in this city.

THEATRICAL.

Plays Booked for the Colonial Theatre in Near Future.

The hardships and dangers from wild beasts and Indians which continually menaced our forefathers in the early settlement of our country, and especially in this portion of the United States, is cleverly and truly depicted in the historical drama, "Daniel Boone on the Trail," which comes to Connellsville for a one night's engagement, September 26th. The plot of this piece is taken from historical facts connected with the life of Daniel Boone, the famous hunter and frontiersman, during his days in which he so courageously contributed to the making of the settlement of Kentucky, safe for our ancestors. To bring out the piece in all its realism, Indians and wolves are used, and Rolling Thunder, a Sioux, appears. Prices, 25, 50 and 75 cents.

One of the characters in "Peggy from Paris," George Ade's musical play, that is to be at the Colonial on Saturday, September 28, matinee and night, is an exponent of the slang for which the humorist is famous. The character is that of Reginald Hickey, who speaks the picturesque and original slang which only Mr. Ade can create. Although decidedly amusing, this slang is never offensive, and the phrases are really ingenious in their expressiveness.

Charles Klein's American play, "The Lion and the Mouse, which Henry B. Harris will produce here on Tuesday evening, October 1st, has won from audiences in all the largest cities most cordial demonstrations of approval and it has certainly taken rank as the notable success of the new century.

BIG BEAR BREAKS LOOSE.

Has Johnstown Park to Himself—Captured After Hard Chase.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—For three hours yesterday morning the big bear which was on exhibit at the Interstate Fair last week, had the time of his life. It took him just five minutes to demonstrate that the inch bars of his cage were really nothing worth mentioning. After that he took charge of Luna Park until 10 o'clock.

The park attendants hurried to a high point and after that the bear had everything his own way. He made three rounds of the big pavilion at a trot and then took to the woods nearby. After a hard chase he was captured. One man sustained a broken arm in getting away from the animal.

STREET TO RIVER.

Monessen Will Pay Well for One Sold Thoroughfare for a Dollar.

MONESSEN, Pa., Sept. 24.—(Special.)—The Pittsburg & Lake Erie Railroad Company has submitted a proposition to Burgess P. H. Shutter regarding the proposed street to the river here. The court ordered that either an overhead street be allowed or one under the tracks. The railroad company asks that it be permitted to do the work, agreeing to pay half of the entire cost. The cost will be between $8,000 and $11,000. This is in addition to $600 paid the United States Steel Corporation for the right of way across its ground.

Monessen had one street to the river when it was first laid out but it was sold to the American Tin Plate Company for $1.

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The National Government has taken a keen interest in the Exposition, and is one of its chief exhibitors. The display of modern warships of all nations on Hampton Roads is a unique and attractive feature, and the military manouvers lend a stirring touch to the daily program.

The Jamestown Exposition is a prominent event in our National History and should be visited by every American citizen who desires to see what three hundred years of American enterprise have wrought in our land.

The Pennsylvania Railroad offers attractive service via Philadelphia and its "Cape Charles Route" by its routes via Baltimore and the Chesapeake Bay Lines, via Washington and the Potomac River line, and via Washington and Richmond. The rates are reasonable and the fare varies according to the route and length of the stay.

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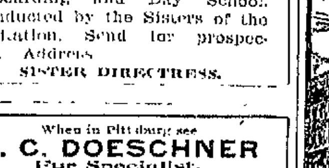
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Read Martin Hewitt, Investigator in next Sunday's Courier.



APPRECIATION

"Oh, Jack, I'm so glad you brought me to this hotel. I think it couldn't be finer."

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"Yes," said her husband, "I quite agree with you. I think we could not have selected a better place for our stay here. It is close to the business center, which is what I want; it is handy to all the better stores, which pleases you. And it is near the theaters and within easy reach of cars to all the other places of interest and amusement. We are right in the midst of everything."

"This dinner is positively the best I ever tasted," she declared later. "When we get back home we must tell all our friends always to come to the **Lincoln** when in Pittsburgh, mustn't we?"

Knowledge of the best hotels is a matter of pride with men, and smiling at his wife's tribute to his worldly wisdom, Jack said "Surely we will tell them."

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STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY OF FAYETTE, SS:

Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public within and for said county and State, personally appeared J. J. Driscoll, who being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say:

That he is Manager of Circulation of The Courier, a daily newspaper published in Connellsville, Pa., and that the number of papers printed during the week ending Saturday, September 21, 1907, was as follows

September 16	5,547
September 17	5,534
September 17	5,481
September 19	5,514
September 20	5,483
September 21	5,405

That the daily circulation by months for 1906 was as follows:

Month.	Total.	Dav.
January	127,333	4,712
February	118,852	4,952
March	138,895	5,134
April	137,818	5,658
May	135,091	5,210
June	132,232	5,088
July	128,500	5,180
August	141,544	5,213
September	128,282	5,170
October	140,054	5,208
November	134,370	5,275
December	136,965	5,238
Total	1,601,363	5,199
January, 1907	141,423	5,275
February	135,150	5,105
March	150,302	5,621
April	147,220	5,603
May	162,810	6,262
June	140,135	5,018
July	141,051	5,460

And further sayeth not.

JAS. J. DRISCOLL.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23rd day of September, 1907.

JOHN KURTZ,
Notary Public.

TUESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 24, 1907

UNCONSTITUTIONAL LEGISLATION.

The lower courts have declared the two-cent passenger fare bill unconstitutional and now the State authorities express grave doubts as to the constitutionality of the Uniform Primary law. Their doubts are so grave that they won't reimburse the counties for the costs of the two primaries already held under the act until the matter has been decided in the Supreme Court.

If it should be determined against the constitutionality of the law, a cloud of doubt will be cast upon the legality of the nominations of candidates at such primaries and their elections subsequently; and inquisitive taxpayers may raise the question whether, if it is not legal for the State authorities to pay the expenses of the primaries, it is legal for the county authorities to pay them.

Upon the whole the work of the last Legislature was not as creditable to its membership and to the Republican party of the State as it might have been, yet it could have been infinitely worse

Its reckless disregard of constitutional limitations, however, prompts the suggestion that it probably viewed the Constitution in the same light as the Tammany chief who met President Cleveland's objection against a certain measure with the airy remark, "What's the Constitution between friends?"

It also justifies the proposition made by The Courier during the session that the Legislature provide itself with an editing committee consisting of competent lawyers and editors to edit the bills and sift out those not constitutional. It would have been a great saving of trouble and discredit

THE AMBITIOUS BOY AND THE LEADLY GUN.

A Point Marion boy of 13 and his brother aged 7 went hunting on Saturday. The big brother carried the gun, of course, and as a not unnatural consequence the smaller boy was shot and killed.

We may not blame the grief-stricken parents. Boys are mischievious and they will lay hands on forbidden things. No amount of vigilence will insure their hiding places against the penetrating curiosity and the boundless ambition of juvenility. But every man ought to make it his duty to act as a member of the State Constabulary and save children from the danger of firearms as well as other forms of patent danger.

The ambitious boy and the deadly gun are not fit companions for each other.

CREDITABLE TO PENNSYLVANIA.

It is highly creditable to the law abiding sentiment of Pennsylvania with its vast corporate influences that it is the only State in which there is absolutely no clash between the courts and the railroads over the operation of rate legislation passed by the Legislatures.

In various other States the Legislatures have passed such legislation and the State courts and authorities have indicated a determined purpose to enforce it in spite of injunctions from the Federal courts to the contrary. Serious conflicts of authority are impending in some of the States in consequence of these arbitrary actions.

In Pennsylvania the State courts have declared the two-cent fare law unconstitutional, and in spite of this decision the railroads have indicated a purpose to respect the law until the Pennsylvania Supreme Court shall have passed upon the decisions of the lower courts.

Pennsylvania's example is a good one for some other sections to follow. After all, the Constitution affords equal protection for all, and all can afford to stand upon it. Good citizens and wise corporations will do everything in their power to further a proper and final determination of its true intent and meaning, and govern their conduct accordingly.

CHAIRMAN ACHESON IT SHOULD BE.

There ought not to be any doubt of the succession of Congressman Ernest Francis Acheson to the Chairmanship of the Rivers and Harbors Committee. He is the logical successor of Congressman Theodore E. Burton. He is the senior member of the committee and there is no question as to his qualifications. A more painstaking and consequently a better informed member the committee does not have.

A refusal to appoint him to the chairmanship of the committee would be a confession that there is a disposition to favor other interests at the expense of internal waterways, of which Congressman Acheson has ever been a forceful advocate, and, we might add, not without practical results.

Western Pennsylvania and the Ohio Valley will be highly gratified to see Congressman Acheson at the head of the Rivers and Harbors Committee. Even the Republicans of Lawrence county and other industrial sections who opposed his election a year ago will be pleased to see him where he can do them and their interests more good.

Others, not so entirely selfish, would like to see the honor conferred upon him as a proper reward of merit

H. M. Stephenson, Prohibition candidate for State Treasurer, challenges the other candidates to publicly declare their attitude on the Prohibition question. The demand would come with better grace and more right from the Prohibitionists of Fayette county to the candidates on Colonel Liking' Citizens' ticket who are asking their support.

The French forces in Morocco have Triumph coming to them when they get back to Gay Paree

Thiel College will not have any football. The ladies "round it down and out. While the boys were out practising passes and tackles the girls at chapel taught them a trick in kicking.

Pennsylvania stands for law and order in the settlement of the rate question.

Church festivals like that at Bradenville are entirely too festive

The most inaccessible West Virginia coal fields are opening up. The grand opening in Greene county cannot be delayed much longer.

Monessen is discovering what a grievous thing it is to have no gate to the river.

The Fishes are after Harriman again. He will be all right so long as he keeps above the water he has created, but once he gets down into it the Fishes will drag him to the bottom of the sea.

Johnstown lost its bear yesterday, and Teddy lat away at Oyster Bay.

The State League of Republican Clubs is solid for Knox.

Uniontown papers talk about first-nighters crowding the theatres. Down here on Mud Island the people crowd ten every night, especially the nickelodeons.

The history of Standard Oil will soon be an old story

That Ohio girl who bound and gagged herself and had the whole countryside and packs of bloodhounds hunting for her imaginary assailant can get a job on any yellow journal.

Ida Tarbell is being vindicated in the courts.

The Undesirable Citizens of Idaho are trying to show that Senator Borah, one of their accusers, belongs to the same class.

Senator Tillman quarrels with his audiences nearly everywhere he goes. He is dictatorial, overbearing, insolent, insulting. Yet he lectured under the auspices of the Young Man's Christian Association

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Wanted.

WANTED.—BOY ABOUT 15. APPLY at the Second Hand Store, Water and Apple streets. 24sep

WANTED.—SEVERAL GOOD PIANO salesmen. Straight salary. Apply REINHARD MUSIC CO., West Main street. sep22tf

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WANTED. — AN EXPERIENCED dressmaker and an apprentice girl. Apply MISS ROSE PAGE, Turner Building, West Main street sep24tf

WANTED.—TWO OR THREE ROOMS for light housekeeping. Apply E. L. McNUTT, at Courier Office sep24tf

WANTED.—RUBBER-TIRED RUNABOUT, sleigh, road cart. Describe fully. ALLAN PORTER, Scottdale. sep24-26-27

WANTED.—THREE OR FOUR FURNISHED rooms, centrally located, suitable for light housekeeping. Apply MANAGER 5 AND 10 CENT STORE, Pittsburg street. 21sept1d

For Rent.

FOR RENT.—ONE FURNISHED BED room. Apply 320 North Pittsburg street. 22sept1*

FOR RENT. — TWO FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping. 208 Cedar avenue aug3tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE.—SITE FOR BRICK works, on high bluff adjoining B. & O. R. R. and Volcano Brick Works, in South Connellsville. Best clay for tile, common red brick and paving brick. MRS. J. P. JOHNSTON, South Connellsville, Pa. 24sept3d*

Lost.

LOST.—18 ONE DOLLAR BILLS will pay for a handsome all wool Fall suit. DAVE COHEN, Tailor. 11

LOST.—A GOLD WATCH, IMPERIAL movement, dent in back case. Reward if returned to HARRY HACKENBERG, Wyman Hotel. 21sept1d

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FOR SALE.—LARGE NEW PORTABLE oven, show cases, pans, wagon, baskets, valuable horse, etc. On corner Chick and Liberty streets, Perryopolis, Pa. Large trade. Will rent oven, yard and store room. Address J. F. TOWNSEND, Perryopolis, Pa. 21sept1d

Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the Peoples Building & Loan Association will be held at its offices in the office of Pasquale Bufano, 111 North Pittsburg street, in the Borough of Connellsville, Fayette county, Pa., on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1907, at 8 P. M., and that the officers of the Association for the ensuing year will be elected at this meeting. ALEX. B. HOOD, Secretary People's Building & Loan Association. sep24-oct1-2-oct3w

Borough Ordinances.

AN ORDINANCE in reference to the filing of liens for the paving, curbing or macadamizing with brick, stone or other material, streets and alleys in the Borough of Connellsville heretofore paved, curbed or macadamized, where the cost of such improvement, or a portion thereof, can not be legally assessed upon the property bounding or abutting upon the street, or part thereof, improved, as provided by the Act of April 15, 1907.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the authority of the Town Council of the Borough of Connellsville and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same:

SECTION 1. That the Borough Solicitor be, and he is hereby authorized to file liens for all claims of the Borough, where any street, or alley, or part thereof, has been paved, curbed or macadamized, with brick, stone or other suitable material, but owing to some defect in the petition or other proceeding necessary under existing law to give jurisdiction to such Council or for any reason, the cost of such improvement or a portion thereof cannot be legally assessed upon the property bounding or abutting upon the street, or part thereof, improved, as was contemplated by the Act or Acts of the General Assembly under which the improvement was attempted to be made, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly approved April 15, 1907. Such liens to be filed against the owners, or reputed owners, of the lots abutting upon the said improved streets, or alleys for the amount assessed against the respective lots with interest under the Acts of Assembly by virtue of which the said improvements were made, as provided by the Act, of Assembly last above mentioned.

SECTION 2. That the Borough Solicitor be, and he is hereby, authorized, directed and empowered, to carry out the provisions of the said Act of Assembly approved April 15, 1907, known as Act No. 193, and to take all action, file all liens and do all things that may be necessary to save or protect any claims that the Borough may have by reason of the improvement of any street, alley or avenue as therein provided

PASSED by Town Council this 17th day of September, 1907.

GEORGE PORTER
President of Council.

Attest:
ROBT. W. SOISSON, Clerk

APPROVED this 23rd day of September, 1907.

AUGUSTIN D. SOISSON, Burgess.

Attest:—ROBT. W. SOISSON, Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE providing for the Paving of North Alley between Eighth street and Water Street, in the Borough of Connellsville, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

WHEREAS, A petition has been presented to Council signed by two-thirds of the property owners on North alley between Eighth street and Water street in the Borough of Connellsville, praying for the paving of North alley between the points aforesaid, with vitrified brick, from property line to property line and agreeing to pay their proper proportions of the cost thereof, the said signers to the said petition representing two-thirds and more of the property abutting on the said alley between the points aforesaid,

NOW BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Town Council of the Borough of Connellsville, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

SECTION 1. That North alley between Eighth street and Water street, be graded, and paved with vitrified brick, from property line to property line, in accordance with plans to be prepared by the Borough Engineer.

SECTION 2. That one-third of the cost thereof be paid by the Borough, and the remaining two-thirds do be collected from the abutting property owners, as the amount thereof shall be determined by the Borough Engineer.

PASSED by Town Council this 17th day of September, 1907

GEORGE PORTER.
President of Council.

Attest
ROBT. W. SOISSON, Clerk.

I HEREBY APPROVE the foregoing Ordinance, this 23rd day of September, 1907.

AUGUSTIN D. SOISSON, Burgess.

Witness —ROBT. W. SOISSON
Borough Clerk.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

129, 131, 133 N. Pittsburg St., Connellsville, Pa.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Western Pennsylvania.—Local Local showers Tuesday; high to high southwest to west winds; Wednesday fair.

Our Share In Bargain Day

Monday, September 30th, will be celebrated as Bargain Day in Connellsville and New Haven, and everybody within a reasonable distance ought to join in the celebration. Every store will have its special bargain for that day. As near as possible something different in each store. We want you to visit every store in this list. We want you to see what kind of stores we have in these two towns of ours. Almost all one town now. If you'll watch the papers you'll see the list of bargains each merchant will have to offer. Ours will be as follows:

Children's Stockings.

Children's heavy fine ribbed black stockings, 100 dozen pairs of these. Every pair with linen knees and extra spliced heels and toes. Our price for Monday, September 30, will be 12½ cents the pair, and that's less than these stockings cost at the factory. Sell you just as many or just as few pairs as you like. Sale will start at 8 o'clock Monday morning

New Skirts.

Some new ones in to show you this week that are about as pretty as skirts can be made. Black, Voile and Panama. There are 35 different and distinct styles in the lot. Priced from $8 up to $18. You'll think the prices reasonable once you see the skirts.

Suits at $25.00.

We still want to keep telling you about these suits we are showing for $25.00. We want to interest you until you will come and see how good these suits really are. Expect this week to have still more to show. Notwithstanding the weather we have been selling suits and lots of them. Lots of people appreciate these extra values we have here. Expect to have this week a few more of a little broadcloth suit at this price. Comes in brown, blue and black. Short, half tight fitted jacket. Full skirt with folds at the bottom. Made of good quality broadcloth and priced at $25.00.

Silk Petticoats at $5.00.

55 black silk petticoats that will be on sale on Wednesday morning and we are going to sell all of them before Saturday night. So if you are interested in the best black petticoat that we ever had to sell at $5.00, you'll make an effort to see those.

Lace Curtains.

New patterns, just in, priced from $1.00 up to $6.00 and $7.00 the pair. White and Arabian. As in past seasons we have made special efforts to have several patterns at $2.00 per pair that would be extra values at this price. We want these $2.00 curtains to do some advertising for this curtain department, and would like to have you pass your opinion of these.

New Denims and Draperies.

New patterns here to show you, most of them priced around 25 cents. New colorings and designs, many of them you'll not find elsewhere in this vicinity.

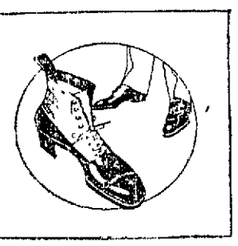
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School Shoes for your Boy or Girl that will wear the right length of time and will **fit, feel and look well** on the foot. We believe that our shoes give the kind of service that most parents appreciate. We insist on having solid leather shoes throughout; we also see that the shoemaking is good in each pair, and our selections of shapes and styles proves that **ease and foot comfort** for Boys and Girls is not overlooked by us. A variety here large enough to meet the wants of customers looking for good School Shoes that are priced right.

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YOUR SHOES

must be properly made and of good materials if you would have them look stylish. Our shoes are most successfully. If you appreciate real shoe comfort you should buy your shoes here

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can be placed upon our electrical work. We have been engaged in the electrical business for a number of years and our aim has always been to execute our work in such a manner as to bring forth favorable commendation and gain friends for us. This is the cause for the upbuilding of our business. We employ only experienced electricians and high grade work is guaranteed at all times. There should be no hesitancy on your part about entrusting us with your plumbing work. Estimates cheerfully furnished.

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For tickets and full information call on or address Ticket Agents, Baltimore & Ohio R. R.

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Tickets on sale daily until Nov. 30. The Most Delightful Season of the Year to Travel and SEE THE EXPOSITION AT ITS BEST.

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Handsome New Autumn Silks.

Today we present the handsomest display of rich, new Autumn Silks that has ever been our pleasure to exhibit. This season's fashion favors plaids, and they're here a plenty—the pick of the best products. Here too, are Plain Silks in all the rich fashionable colors. Most any kind or color of Silk wanted, or for what purpose, you will find it here, and at the price that will save you some money.

Plaid Taffetas—Gorgeous effects—large designs, beautiful color combinations.

65c to $1.25 a Yard.

Unusually nice Plaid Silks for Children's Dresses,

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Special attention called to our assortment of 36-inch black Taffeta Silks,

$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50.

New Silk Draperies; Very Attractive Showing

Many beautiful patterns in this grand collection suitable for Kimonas,

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Costume Velvet—A firm, soft finish Velvet made purposely for suits—in the popular Fall shades,

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24 inches wide.

Queen Quality.

With the present vogue of the short skirt, it becomes every woman to look to her feet.



Handsomer Shoes never were made than the new "Queen Quality" styles we are now showing. They are the delight of wearers, the despair of imitators. If you value economy, if you appreciate comfort, if you want to have pretty feet, let us fit you with a pair of these new "Queen Quality" shoes.

The price

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All Styles and All Leathers.

C. W. DOWNS & CO.,

127 N. Pittsburg St., Connellsville, Pa.

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DRESSING TABLES,
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BUFFETS,
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COUCHES,
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The store that enjoys the confidence of the people.

The store that maintains its standard of excellent quality goods.

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The store that keeps abreast of furniture fashions.

The store that has a large following of satisfied customers.

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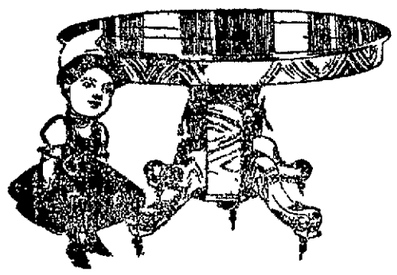
Wallace Furniture Company.

INTRODUCING AARON'S KIDDOS

The busy little home-builders, whose aid you may invoke at any hour in the creation of a cozy home at a moderate price and on peerless terms of credit.



Extension Table



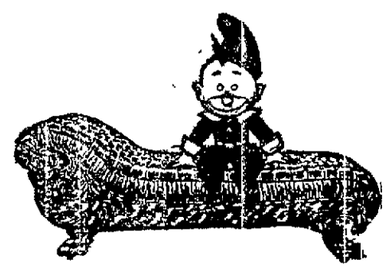
This is our latest offering in a Pedestal Extension Table and it is the greatest value ever seen in a table of this grade. It is made of solid quarter sawed oak throughout. The top measures 45 inches in diameter and extends 6 feet; the pedestal is solid and extra heavy; the legs are neatly shaped and massive in design. This extension table is a most wonderful value at **$19.75**

The Autumn of 1907

We beg to announce the formal opening of the Autumn Furniture Season and to express the firm belief that this will prove the most prosperous year of our existence. We base the statement on the extent and magnificence of our stock---the general prosperity that reigns---our greatly increased purchasing power, which creates unapproachably low prices, and our system of credit, which removes great burdens from the shoulders of workingmen and makes marriage possible among people heretofore kept apart because of limited means.

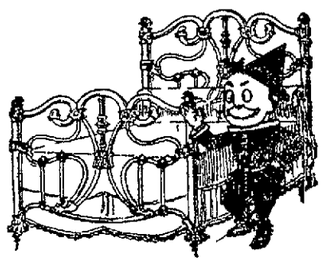
We invite you all to visit the store, examine the stock and open accounts.

Fabricord Couch



The illustration showing this handsome fabricord leather couch does not do justice to this beautiful piece of furniture. The frame is made of solid oak, quarter sawed stock showing the natural grain most beautifully, and has handsome massive carvings on head. The fabricord leather is put over on an all-steel construction filled and padded with mixed hair. The tuftangs are close and diamond shape. The ruffle on each side of the couch adds to the appearance, **$19.75**

Iron Bed Outfit



This illustration shows our complete Iron Bed Outfit, consisting of iron bed, spring and mattress. We consider the outfit of exceptional value. The iron bed is of a handsome design, made of heavy tubing and the scrolls and fillings are handsomely bent The knills are massive and artistic. The bed can be had in 4 feet 6 inch widths. The spring and mattress are of good quality. Specially priced, only..... **$13.75**

Our Great Carpet and Rug Department comes forward with an unexcelled assortment of new Fall patterns. Here are some Carpet and Rug Specials in High Grade Goods. ***All Carpets made, laid and lined Free.***

Good quality of Tapestry Brussels Carpets, special price per yard..... **75c**

Wilton Velvet Carpets, regular value $1.35; special per yard..... **$1.10**

Extra quality Smith's Axminster Carpets, special price per yard..... **$1.45**

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Room Size Axminster Rugs, special **$25.00**



Room Size Rugs, full 9x12 size, $8.00 value, special price only..... **$5.95**

Room Size Tapestry Brussels Rugs, $20.00 value, special price..... **$15.00**

The New Alex. Smith One-Piece Rug, no mitre seams and no seams, special price only..... **$25.00**

Extra quality 9x12 Axminster Rugs, special price only..... **$32.50**

Solid Oak Dresser



This is an exceptional value in a high grade Dresser. It is a value that will be instantly appreciated. It is made throughout of solid oak, selected stock, finished golden and highly polished, the two top drawers are serpentine shaped The standards and mirror frame are handsomely carved, the mirror is of French bevel plate and is shaped The cabinet work on this dresser is absolutely first class The drawers fit and work smoothly. The price is... **$15.75**

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All Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

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All Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

Watch the Antics of the KIDDOS And Ask Them to Build a Home for You

GRANT TWO CENT RATE

Pittsburg & Lake Erie Railroad Will Comply With the Law.

WILL BE EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1.

Announcement Was Made Yesterday by General Passenger Agent Robison at Pittsburg—All New Rates Have Been Arranged.

The Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad yesterday announced that 2 cents a mile will be the passenger fare on that road on October 1, to comply with the new State law. The company also announced there will be no change in the commutation rates. The new tariff has been prepared and there will be no delay in effecting the change in rates. This action is taken pending the decision of the Supreme Court as to the constitutionality of the Dunsmore Act. Should the court decide the act is unconstitutional the Pittsburg & Lake Erie like other roads, will continue charging the present fares. General Passenger Agent Robison, who spent several days last week in New York, made this announcement on his return to Pittsburg yesterday.

The fact that commutation fares are not to be changed on this and other Pittsburg lines on which a great suburban traffic is handled except by the Pennsylvania and possibly the Baltimore & Ohio withdrawing the trip "strip" or package ticket, is welcome news to the thousands of commuters who use the lines. When the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore & Ohio made the announcement several months ago that certain classes of tickets would not be sold after September 30, there was consternation, the people fearing that all commutation rates would be at 2 cents a mile. It is probable that commutation rates will be revised but this will not be done until after January 1 when the interstate fares are to be revised. For the present interstate fares will remain the same thus making interstate passengers pay more than the sum of local fares in the States contiguous to Pennsylvania.

JACOB WEAVER DEAD.

Was an Old and Well Known Resident of Georges Township, This County.

Special to The Courier.

SMITHFIELD, Sept. 23—Jacob Weaver died at his home in Georges township near here this morning between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock in the ?th year of his age. The funeral will take place from his residence on Wednesday at 1 P. M. Interment will be made in the Baptist cemetery. His illness was of brief duration, he having been taken sick with acute constipation of the bowels and stomach about nine days ago. Upon being relieved of this pneumonia developed which in his weakened condition from the former ailment he was not able to combat. He suffered intensely from Sunday until the end came.

The deceased had lived the major portion of his life on the farm on which he died. He was a man of prominence in the community in which he lived. He leaves a large estate to be inherited by his only son John and three granddaughters who live in the house with him. His property is in lands and money in bank. The Wharton coke works are located on his land. He also owns a farm in Westmoreland county near Greensburg. He was a plain every day citizen and every one in this community will miss Jake Weaver as he was familiarly called.

KILLED BROTHER.

Distressing Accident in Which Point Marion Lad Shot Brother on Saturday.

POINT MARION, Sept. 24—A very distressing and fatal accident occurred Saturday afternoon when two sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCahan of Sadler street obtained possession of a 22 calibre rifle and went hunting and when on the south end of town the older one Raymond aged 13 years, shot his younger brother Lucien aged 7 years. He was removed to his parents home.

Dr. Owen was called and probed for the ball but did not recover it. Later Dr. Hartigan of Morgantown was called also Dr. Burchinal. It was found that the ball struck the boy in the forehead and was not located. The doctors did all that could possibly be done for the boy but in vain, as death came about noon on Sunday.

Funeral today at 2 P. M. Interment in Mt. Union cemetery near Easton, W. Va.

BALLOON RACERS COMING

Germans Are Entered for Bennett Cup Events at St. Louis.

HAMBURG, Sept. 24—(Special.)—Among the passengers sailing for New York today on the Kronsprinz Wilhelm are the members of the German team entered for the international balloon races for the James Gordon Bennett cup to be held at St. Louis next month.

The team is accompanied by Captain Hildebrandt of the Baron Corps of the German army.

TURNED TO RIOT.

Men, Women and Children Break Up a Church Festival.

LATROBE, Sept. 24—A riot participated in by several hundred men, women and children occurred at Bradenville Saturday night. George Vinco was shot through the head and a score of persons were stabbed or struck by stones, beer bottles and clubs.

The clash was between Greek and Slavish factions which had gathered from adjacent towns to participate in a big celebration incident to the dedication of a new altar in the Slavish Catholic church. The various societies formed in line and marched through the streets of Bradenville, Atlantic and Snydertown disbanding at Slavonia hall, where a big banquet was served. Whisky and beer are said to have been plentiful and trouble began when it was discovered that owing to a trolley strike the revelers would be obliged to walk home.

Soon all stopped by common consent and started to fight. One man secured a shot gun and fired point blank into the crowd. Then revolvers were fired at random. The most seriously injured was Vinco, a part of whose ear was clipped off by a bullet. John Koehut's arm was almost severed by a knife.

KNOX BOOM.

Will Be Given a Boost by State Republican Clubs Which Meet Today

Special to The Courier.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 24—The annual convention of the State League of Republican Clubs began here today and will continue over tomorrow. A large number of delegates and visitors are in attendance including good sized delegations from Philadelphia, Pittsburg and other leading cities of the State.

Much interest centers in the mass meeting tonight which will mark the formal opening of the State campaign of Senator Philander C. Knox for the Presidential nomination. Senator Knox, Governor Edwin S. Stuart and John O. Sheatz, candidate for State Treasurer, will deliver addresses and other speakers will include distinguished Republicans from every section of the State.

BASE BALL FIELD DAY.

Sports to Be Given Next Saturday at Wheeling—All Players Are Eligible.

Next Saturday at Wheeling an interstate base ball field day program will be given under the auspices of the Wheeling Central League Club open to all players both amateur and professional. There are five events with cash prizes offered in each as follows: Long distance throwing, accurate throwing to second, circling the bases, bunt and run to first, fungo batting.

The sporting editor of this paper has received a number of the entry blanks and local players desiring to enter can secure blanks by applying to the sporting editor.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Given P. Haas by His Friends at Pennsville Home Sunday

The friends of P. Haas tendered him a surprise birthday party on last Sunday at his pleasant Pennsville home it being his 39th birthday. There were about 30 guests present. Those from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. William Workman, Bellview; Mr. and Mrs. J. Grimm, Moyer; L. Steiner and daughter Florence, Rich Hill; Mrs. Zellnoter and daughters Elizabeth, Mary and Josephine and Leo and Charles Iverson, Calvin and Lawrence Mincid, Rich Hill; Frank Zellhofer, Masontown; Calvin Stilwagon, Pleasant Valley; L. Rosenecker and daughter Agnes, Morgan; Miss Hannah Mistlebiner, Rich Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Rosenecker, New Haven.

Mr. Haas received a number of handsome and useful presents and the guests present all enjoyed themselves to the utmost and left wishing Mr. Haas many more happy birthdays.

INDIANA LABOR

Holding 23d Annual Convention at Muncie, Indiana

MUNCIE, IND., Sept. 24—(Special.) There was a good attendance on hand today at the opening of the 23d annual convention of the Indiana Federation of Labor. The delegates present were several hundred in number and represented several hundred organizations in nearly every section of the State.

The convention will be in session three days during which time child labor, the eight-hour day, plans for increasing the membership and influence of the State Federation and a number of other subjects of importance will be discussed.

NEW COAL ROAD.

A Charter Granted for the Gauley & Birch River Line

ELKINS, W. Va., Sept. 24—(Special.)—With an authorized capital stock of $300,000 the Gauley & Birch River Railroad Company is the latest to secure a charter for the construction of a coal and timber road from the mouth of Muddy Creek in Nicholas county running by way of Hoovertsville to a point near the mouth of Big Birch River in Braxton county.

This road is projected to develop virgin territory in Braxton and Nicholas counties.

Business Directory of The Connellsville Courier.

CONNELLSVILLE

Art Store

FRAMED PICTURES FOR THE school room at greatly reduced prices. See window display. L. G. HALL, Y. M. C. A. Building.

American and Italian Bakery

DONNADIO & TANGRETI, 707 N. PITTSBURG STREET. City Bakery and foreign and [illegible]. DONNADIO & GINTILCOTI, 2 BROADWAY. Unlimited [illegible] specialty of finest imported olive oil. Bell phone 202.

Bakery

TEMPLETON'S BAKERY, MAIN STREET AND SOUTH PITTSBURG STREET. Eat Templeton's [illegible] Century Bread. Fine cakes and pies. Wholesale and retail.

Bottler

COUCHENOUR & CO., MAIN ST. Wholesale [illegible] in soft drinks of all kinds.

Butcher

E. U. HEIZEL, MAIN ST. [illegible] only choice [illegible] dressed meat. Family trade solicited. Call or phone us your order. Prompt delivery. Both phones.

Cement Paving

C. W. SPEILER, THE CONCRETE Man, contracts for all kinds of cement paving, plastering, cementing, tiling and foundation [illegible]. Call or phone for estimate. My motto, The best and cheapest.

CHAS. J. SHIMAKER, HEATING, Tinning and Roofing. [illegible] a specialty. [illegible] BALDWIN STREET. [illegible]

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HOME ESTABLISHMENT FOR prompt work in expert dyeing and French dry cleaning. [illegible] DUNN PAINT BUILDING.

Decorators and Painters

SHAW & KESTAR, OFF [illegible] AVENUE. [illegible]

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YOUR PRESCRIPTION FILLED EXactly as your doctor [illegible]. J. Moore, WATER ST. NEAR B. & O. DEPOT.

Excavating and Hauling

STONE FURNISHED FOR BUILDing and foundation work. [illegible] S. J. HAY, 104 JOHNSTON AVENUE.

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LESLIE BROWN & SON. [illegible] Nothing but the best in our large stock of goods. Family trade especially solicited. [illegible] LESLIE BROWN & SON'S, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Grocery

BOYD & GRIFFITH, MAIN STREET, NEW HAVEN, dealers in [illegible] Call or phone us your order. Prompt delivery guaranteed. [illegible]

F. R. HIMLERICH, N. PITTSBURG St. [illegible] will deliver it at your door promptly.

FULL LINE OF STAPLE AND FANCY groceries. [illegible] delivered promptly. C. W. [illegible] & CO., 305 PITTSBURG STREET. Both phones.

Hay, Grain and Feed

WESTERN GRAIN CO. WHOLEsale and retail [illegible] in hay, grain, feed and coal. [illegible] WATER ST. Phone connections.

Hotel

[illegible] THE TRANSMELLEN HOTEL, WATER ST. [illegible]

Home Manufacturer of Hair Goods

BRING YOUR COMBINGS AND have switches [illegible] MRS. [illegible] CLARK'S JEWELRY STORE. [illegible] R. R. Station.

Ice Cream Manufacturer

ALL FLAVORS OF ICE CREAM. Special attention to family [illegible] furnished for parties, banquets, weddings, etc. [illegible] Both phones.

Jeweler

CHAS. T. GILES, JEWELER, 111 W. MAIN STREET, Connellsville, Pa.

Millinery

OPENING TUESDAY AND WEDNESday, September 24 and 25, [illegible] Millinery at McFARLAND'S, 111 West Apple street, Connellsville, Pa.

D. RPACLE, 8 PITTSBURG ST. We carry everything in millinery line. Call and see our stock. [illegible] millinery before you buy. Hats made to your order.

MISS M. NEYMAN & CO., 107 WEST APPLE STREET [illegible] Pittsburg street, Connellsville, Pa.

Munson Bros

WE HAVE [illegible] RANGES TO BE sold at once at [illegible] Tri-State 60.

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WE ALWAYS HAVE FEW NOVEL and refined acts. The latest moving pictures with frequent changes. Just the place for the ladies and children. Don't forget to come.

New York Credit House

New York Cash and Credit House. J. ROSENBLUM, 442 EAST MAIN [illegible] Cash and Credit House [illegible] Murphy Avenue. Call [illegible]

Plumbing and Heating

BRILL & SNYDER, MAIN STREET, NEW HAVEN. Estimates furnished [illegible] hot water and hot air heating.

ZIMMERMAN & RUSSELL, 118 PITTSBURG STREET. [illegible]

WILLIAM FETTERS, [illegible] AVENUE. [illegible]

Phonographs

[illegible] LEINHARD'S, 111 WEST MAIN STREET.

Painter and Paper Hanger

CONTRACT PAINTING AND PAPER hanging done [illegible] WM. STOREY, office [illegible] MEADOW ALLEY. [illegible]

Plumbing and Gas Fitting

[illegible]

Photographer

OLDEST ESTABLISHED GALLERY [illegible] PITTSBURG STREET.

Real Estate and Insurance

[illegible]

Second Hand Store

IF YOU HAVE A LINE OF [illegible] WATER AND [illegible]

New Merchant Tailor

[illegible]

Upholsterer

[illegible] WATER AVENUE. [illegible]

Vienna Bakery

[illegible] MAIN ST. [illegible]

NEW HAVEN

Banker and Broker

STEAMSHIP AGENT AND NOTARY. [illegible] NEW HAVEN.

Connellsville Iron Works

[illegible] works, NEW HAVEN.

Dry Goods and Groceries

[illegible] NEW HAVEN [illegible]

Groceries

[illegible] NEW HAVEN [illegible]

STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES [illegible] ANDREW [illegible] NEW HAVEN. Tri-phone 675.

Ice Cream

W. M. MORGAN, NEW HAVEN, wholesale and retail [illegible] ice cream.

Livery and Sale Stables

GRIMM BROS., NEW HAVEN [illegible] COLUMBIA HOTEL.

Monuments

A. W. HART, NEW HAVEN. [illegible] A. W. HART, [illegible] STREET.

Plumbing, Tinning and Heating

[illegible]

SCOTTDALE

Confectioner and Cafe

ALL FLAVORS OF ICE CREAM [illegible] PITTSBURG ST., SCOTTDALE.

Florist

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO making any kind of design or emblem. Fresh cut flowers always on hand. SALES ROOM AT 1— BROADWAY. GREEN HOUSES AT 27 PEARL ST. Bell phones 6— and 3—. JOHN NICHOLS, SCOTTDALE.

New Star Family Theatre

July [illegible] We will entertain you with high grade continuous vaudeville. [illegible] McMAHON, Manager, REID BUILDING, N. BROADWAY, SCOTTDALE.

Star Moving Pictures

WE ARE NOW SHOWING HAPPY [illegible] moving pictures. [illegible] Don't fail [illegible] ladies and children.

DUNBAR

The People's Store

DON'T FORGET THAT THIS STORE is the cheapest store in Dunbar. No matter how good you think you can do anywhere, you can do still better at THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

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DAWSON, PA.

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Surplus - - -	$100,00.00
Undivided Profits -	$7,317.45

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DIRECTORS

M. M. [illegible] N. A. Rist, [illegible] W. H. Brown, Joseph [illegible] J. C. Core, [illegible]

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First National Bank

OF PERRYOPOLIS

Capital - - -	$50,000.00
Surplus - - -	$33,000.00
Undivided Profits -	$1,891.62

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Colonial National Bank,

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

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Sound Banking Methods.

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4% Interest on Savings Accounts. We solicit your business.

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The Opal Serpent

By FERGUS HUME,

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"It's been a nightmare," said he, wiping his forehead. "I'm glad it's come to the lawr, that I am. I met Krill, as he wos then, some twenty-five year back by chance, as you may say"—he cast a strange look at the detective, which the latter noted—"yes, by chance, Mr. Hurd. I found he kep' the pub here, and this bein' no distance from Southampton, I took to runnin' down here when the barkey was at anchor. Me an' Krill became great mates, and I'd what you might call free quarters here—yes, sir—it's a frozen fact."

"Very generous of Mr. Krill," remarked Hurd dryly and wondering what the man was keeping back.

"Oh, he was right enough as a mate when not drunk, but the liquor made a howling dorg of him. I've seen many drunk in many places," said Jessop, "but any one who held his liquor wuss nor Krill I never did see. He'd knife you as soon as look at you when drunk."

"But he evidently preferred strangling."

"Hold on, mate," said Jessop, with another deep pull at the rum. "I'm comin' to that night. We wos both on the bust, a y'may say, and Mrs. Krill she didn't like it, so got to bed with the child."

"How old was the child?"

"Maud? Oh, you might say she was thirteen or fifteen. I can't be sure of her age. What's up?"

For Hurd, seeing in this admission a confirmation that Maud was not Krill's child and could not inherit the money, had showed his feelings. However, he made some trivial excuse, not wishing to be too confidential, and begged Jessop to proceed.

"Well, mate," said the captain, filling another glass of rum, "y'see the lady had come earlier and had been put to bed by the missus. I never saw her myself, being drinking in this very room along o' Krill. But he saw her," added Jessop emphatically, "and said as she'd a fine opal brooch, which he wish he'd had, as he wanted money and the missus kept him tight."

"Krill was a judge of jewels?"

"Traveled in jewels once," said the captain. "Bless you, he could size up a precious stone in no time. But he sat drinking with me, and every now and then got out of the room, when he'd stop away for perhaps a quarter of an hour at the time."

"Did he mention the opal brooch again?"

"No," said Jessop, after reflection, "he didn't. But he got so drunk that he began to show fight, as he always did when boozy, though a timid chap when sober. I concluded, wishing no row, to git to my hammock, and cut upstairs. Then I went by mistake into the room of that pore lady, carrying a candle, and saw her tied to the bedpost stone dead, with a silk handkerchief round her neck. I shouted out blue murder, and Mrs. Krill, with the kid, came tumbling down. I was so feared," added Jessop, wiping his forehead at the recollection, "that I ran out of doors."

"What good would that do?"

"Lor', I dunno," confessed the man, shivering, "but I wos skeered out of my life. It wos rainin' pitchforks, as y'might say, and I raced on through the rain for an hour or so. Then I thought, as I wos innocent, I'd make tracks back, and I did. I found Krill had cut."

"Did his wife tell you?"

"Oh, she wos lying on the floor insensible where he'd knocked her down. And the kid—Lor'," Jessop spat, "she was lying in the corner with her lips fastened together with the brooch."

"What?" cried Hurd, starting to his feet. "The same as her—the same as Norman's was?"

Jessop nodded and drank some rum. "Made me sick, it did. I took th' brooch away and slipped it into my pocket. Then the kid said her father had fastened her lips together and had knocked her mother flat when she interfered. I brought Mrs. Krill round and then left her with the kid, and walked off to Southampton. The police found me there, and I told them what I tell you."

"Did you tell about the brooch?"

"Well, no, I didn't," confessed Jessop coolly, "and as the kid and the mother said nothing, I didn't see why I shouldn't keep it, wantin' money. So I went to Stowley and pawned it, then took a deep sea voyage for a year. When I come back, all was over."

"Do you think Krill murdered the woman?" asked Hurd, passing over for the moment the fact that Jessop had stolen the brooch.

"He said he didn't," rejoined the man with emphasis, "but I truly believe, mister, as he did, one of them times when mad with drink and out of the room. He wanted the brooch, d'ye see, though why he should have lost the loot by sealin' the kid's mouth with it I can't say."

"When did you come across Krill again?"

"Ho," said Jessop, drawing his hand across his mouth, "'twas this way, d'ye see. I came round here lots, and a swell come, too, a cold"—

"Grexon Hay," said Hurd, pointing to the photograph.

"Yes, that's him," said Jessop, staring, "and I hated him just, with his eyeglasses and his sneerin' ways. He loved the kid, now a growed, fine gal, as you know, and come here often. In June—at the end of it anyhow—he comes and I hears him tells Mrs. Krill, who was always looking for her husband, that a one eyed bookseller in Gwynne street, Drury lane, had fainted when he saw the very identical brooch showed him by another cove."

"Beecot. I know. Didn't you wonder how the brooch had left the pawnshop?" asked Hurd, very attentive.

"No, I didn't," snarled Jessop, who was growing cross. "I knew old Tinker's assistant had sold the brooch and he didn't oughter t' have done it, as I wanted it back. Mrs. Krill asked me about the brooch and wanted it, so I said I'd get it back. Tinker said it was gone, but wrote to the gent as bought it."

"Mr. Simon Beecot of Wargrove, in Essex."

"That wos him; but the gent wouldn't give it back, so I s'pose he'd given it to his son. Well, then, when Mrs. Krill heard of the one eyed man fainting at the sight of the brooch she knew 'twas her husband, as he'd one eye, she having knocked the other out when he was sober."

"Did she go up and see him?"

"Well," said Jessop slowly, "I don't rightly know what she did do, but she went up. I don't think she saw Krill at his shop, but she might have seen that Pash, who was Mr. Hay's lawyer, and a dirty little ape o' sorts he is."

"Ha," said Hurd to himself, "I thought Pash knew about the women beforehand. No wonder he stuck to them and gave poor Miss Norman the go-by." He rubbed his hands and chuckled. "Well, we'll see what will come of the matter. Go on, Jessop."

"There ain't much more to tell," grumbled the captain. "I heard of this, and I wasn't meant to hear. But I thought I'd go up and see if I could get money out of Krill by saying I'd tell about the murder of Lady Rachel."

"You are a scoundrel," said Hurd coolly.

"I wos 'ard up," apologized the captain. "I wouldn't, not me. I'm straight enough when in cash. So I went up in July."

"On the 6th of July?"

"If that was the day of the murder, yes. I went up and loafed round until it wos dark and then slipped through that side passage at 8 o'clock to see Krill."

"How did you know where to find him?"

"Why, that Hay knew about the chap and said as he did business in a cellar after 8. So Krill let me in, thinking, I s'pose, I wos a customer. He'd been drinking a little and was bold enough. But when I said as I'd say he'd killed Lady Rachel he swore he was an innercent babe and cried, the drink dyin' out of him."

"The same as it died out of you lately," said Hurd, smiling.

"Go slow," grunted the captain in a surly tone. "I ain't afraid now, as I ain't done nothing. I said to Krill I'd say nothing if he'd give me money. He wouldn't, but said he'd placed a lot of pawned things with Pash, and I could have them. He then gave me a paper saying I was to have the things, and I went to Pash the next morning and had trouble. But I heard by chance," again Jessop cast a strange look at Hurd, "that Krill had been murdered, so I didn't wait for the lawyer to come back, but cut down to Southampton and went on a short voyage. Then I come here, and you nabbed me," and Jessop finished his rum. "That's all I know."

"Do you swear you left Aaron Norman alive?"

"Meaning Krill? I do. He wasn't no use to me dead, and I made him give me the jewels Pash had, d'ye see."

"But who warned you of the death when you were waiting?"

Jessop seemed unwilling to speak, but when pressed burst out, "'Twas a measly little kid with ragged clothes and a dirty face."

"Tray," said Hurd. "Hum! I wonder how he knew of the murder before it got into the papers?"

CHAPTER XXI.

HURD'S sister was a clever young woman who in her time had played many parts. She began her career along with Hurd as a private detective, but when her brother joined the official service Miss Hurd thought she would better her position by appearing on the stage and therefore took the rather queer name of Aurora Qian. In her detective capacity she had often disguised herself when employed in obtaining evidence and was remarkably talented in changing her face and figure. This art she used with great success in her new profession and speedily made her mark as an impersonator of various characters out of novels. As Becky Sharp, as Little Dorrit, she was said to be inimitable, and after playing under several managements she started, in the phrase of the profession, "a show of her own" and rapidly made money.

But her great faults, among others, were vanity and extravagance, so she was always in need of money, and when chance offered, through her brother, to make any she was not averse to returning to the spy business. Thus it came about that she watched Mr. Grexon Hay for many a long day and night, and he never suspected the pretty, fluffy, kittenish Miss Qian was in reality an emissary of the law. Consequently when Aurora asked him to a card party at her rooms Hay accepted readily enough, although he was not in need of money at the time.

Miss Qian occupied a tiny flat on the top of a huge pile of buildings in Kensington, and it was furnished in a gimcrack way, with more show than real value and with more color than taste.

Like the Becky Sharp whom she impersonated with such success, Miss Qian possessed a chaperon, not because she needed one, being very well able to look after herself, but because it sounded and looked respectable. Miss Stably, who filled this necessary office, was a dull old lady who dressed excessively badly and devoted her life to knitting shawls. She talked very little.

This sort of person exactly suited Miss Qian, who wanted a sheep dog who could neither bark nor bite and who could be silent. These qualifications were possessed by the old lady, and for some years she had trailed through a rather giddy world at Aurora's heels. In her own dull way she was fond of the young woman, but was far from suspecting that Aurora was connected in an underhand manner with the law.

This was the old lady who sat in the pink drawing room to play propriety for Miss Qian. Lord George Sandal was present, looking rather washed out, but as gentlemanly as ever. Hay, with his fixed eyeglass and eternally cold smile, was there, and a third young man, who adored Miss Qian, thinking her to be merely an actress, simpered across the card table at his goddess. The four were playing a game which involved the gaining and losing of much money, and they had been engaged for about an hour. Miss Stably, having eaten a good dinner and commenced a new shawl, was half dosing in the corner and paying absolutely no attention to the players.

"It's a good thing we're hanging on our own hooks in this game," said Miss Qian. "Were I your partner, Sandal"—she always addressed her friends in this free and easy fashion—"I'd be losing money. What luck you have!"

"I never do seem to win," lamented Lord George. "Whenever I think I've



"Here's another pack," she cried.

got a good hand, the thing pans out wrong."

"Hay has got all the money," said the simpering admirer who answered to the name of Tempest. "He and you, Miss Qian, are the winners."

"I've made very little," she replied. "Hay's raking in the dollars hand over fist."

"Lucky in love, unlucky at cards," said Hay, who did not like his good fortune to be commented upon for reasons which Miss Qian knew. "It's the reverse with me—I'm lucky at cards"—

"And lucky in love, too," interrupted Aurora, with a grimace, "seeing you're going to marry that Krill heiress—if she is an heiress."

"What do you mean?" asked Hay, who was dealing a new round.

"Go on with the game and don't ask questions," said Miss Qian in a saucy manner. "Sandal, don't stare round, but keep your eye on the cards," and she winked stealthily at the young lord while Hay was exchanging a word with Tempest. The young man, who had spoken privately to her immediately before the dinner, knew well what she meant. Had Hay been likewise "in the know" he would scarcely have done what he did do and which Sandal saw him do in a few minutes.

Hay was rapidly dealing, and the cards were flying like leaves. A pile of gold stood beside Hay's elbow and some silver near Tempest. The game commenced, and soon the players were engrossed, heedless of the patent snoring of Miss Stably, who, poor old thing, had succumbed to the lateness of the hour. Suddenly Lord George, who had been very vigilant, felt his foot touched under the table by Miss Qian. He rose at once and snatched up the gold standing near Hay.

"What's that for?" demanded Hay angrily.

"You're cheating," said Sandal, "and I don't play with you any more."

"That's a lie! I did not cheat."

"Yes, you did," cried Miss Qian, bending forward and seizing the cards; "we've been watching you. Tempest"—

"I saw it all right," said the other. "You took up that king"

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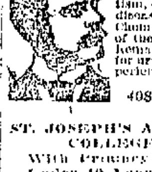
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The regular sessions of the convention proper will not begin until tomorrow, but the annual meetings of several of the sections of the association today attracted a large attendance and proved of great interest to the visiting bankers.

The trust company section held two sessions during the day President Festus J Wade of St Louis presiding. In addition to the routine business there were addresses by Hon Charles Emory Smith, former Postmaster General, and John T Woodruff of Springfield, Mo The management of real estate by trust companies in a fiduciary capacity, the propriety of separating trust business from various financing and promoting undertakings, the charges of companies for business of a trust nature and new methods of advertising and their results were the principal topics discussed during the day.

At the annual meeting of the savings bank section addresses were delivered as follows Savings Bank Insurance," Alfred L Aitkin Worcester, Mass, "Review of 1907 Legislation Affecting Savings Banks' Thomas B Paton "The Independent Audit of a Savings Bank" Edward T Perine, New York. Uniform Laws for Savings Banks in the Various States,' W. R. Creer, Cleveland, O. Postal Savings Banks," P LeRoy Harwood, New London, Conn

Officers of the American Bankers Association for the ensuing year will be chosen next Friday The principal politics seems to center around the secretaryship, a position that has been held for many years by Colonel James R Branch of New York The most active new candidate in the field is Colonel Fred Farnsworth of Detroit P C Kaufman of Seattle, who has been a candidate for several years, is again in the field

When the convention is called to order tomorrow morning the delegates will be welcomed by Governor Stokes The morning session will be taken up for the most part by the reading of the reports of Secretary Branch and of the various committees There will also be addresses by Governor Swanson of Virginia, by Moritz Leifferman a delegate from the banking institutions of Germany and by William S Witham of the Witham banks of Georgia

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The car was almost demolished by the strikers It is reported today that the firemen in the power house at Derry have struck

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Prof Edward Anderson one of the principals of the Monessen public schools, has tendered his resignation to the Board of School Directors He has been elected to the principalship of the Conneautville schools, beginning October 1

A Church Rally.

Rally day services will be held at the Mt. Washington Methodist Protestant church next Sunday Rev Leigh Layman, pastor, former pastor of the local Methodist Protestant church will preach a sermon on "Christian Unity vs. Christian Union"

Altons Get Immunity.

CHICAGO Sept 24—(Special)—The Chicago & Alton Railroad has been granted immunity from prosecution. Federal Judge Landis entered an order to this effect today

Wu Comes Back.

PEKIN, China, Sept 24—(Special) The re-appointment of Wu Ting Fang to his former post as Chinese Minister to Washington was gazetted today

TAMMANY'S FIGHT

In New York Will be Between Mayor McClellan and Charles F. Murphy Leader, this Fall.

Special to The Courier

NEW YORK Sept. 24—Far reaching results with a most important bearing on the future of many prominent Democratic leaders in Greater New York depend upon today's primaries In many districts it is a straight fight between Mayor McClellan and Charles F Murphy leader of Tammany Hall It is the first time that the leader of the Tammany organization has interfered openly in the district fights, but in the present case Murphy has not attempted to conceal the fact that he is giving his support at the primaries to those men who have been brought forward against the district leaders who are friendly to Mayor McClellan

Leader Murphy, on the other hand is believed to have the fight of his life on his hands in order to retain control of the Tammany organization A gum-shoe campaign for control of the organization has been in progress for a long time past, and so skillfully was it managed that few suspected that it had assumed such proportions as to convince Murphy that he was confronted with a very difficult proposition from the McClellan campaign of a year ago The fight has been conducted with a studied avoidance of publicity and with a skill which convinced Murphy that veterans were engineering the plans

The three principal leaders in the McClellan fight against Murphy and Maurice Featherson, a veteran district leader, Senator Patrick H McCarren of Brooklyn, and City Chamberlain James J Martin who has long been regarded as suitable timber for the leadership of Tammany Hall The McClellan forces believe they have a good fighting chance to win over enough districts to overthrow Murphy. Whether or not this proves to be the case the fight they are making insures one of the hottest primary contests in recent years

ANOTHER ARREST

Made for Murder of Italian at Orient Saturday.

George Wilson, a negro employed by S J. Harry in the Klondyke, was arrested yesterday charged on suspicion of knowing something about the murder of the Italian at Orient Saturday evening

Wilson wanted his time Monday morning and he answers a description of one of the negroes who held up robbed and killed the Italian

Accept Gas Rate

PITTSBURG, Sept 24—(Special)—The Gas Committee of Allegheny met today with Mayor Kirchler of that place and after a session of an hour and a half decided to accept the offer of the Philadelphia Company fixing the price of gas at 27½ cents

Engagement Announced

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Florence Boswell daughter of Mrs Emma E Boswell of Fremont street Bellevue and Clark M Kefover of Uniontown The engagement will terminate in a November wedding

Some New Arrivals.

Mr and Mrs William Swerman Race street are the proud parents of a 12 pound baby boy

At the home of Mr and Mrs John Lohr South Pittsburg street a little baby girl has arrived

Hardware Store Burglarized.

PITTSBURG Sept 24—(Special) The hardware store of R A Moore & Company Oakdale, was burglarized early today Farm implements and other articles were taken, valued at $1,000

Child Burned.

The two year old son of Mr and Mrs J T Sembower, Uniontown was badly scalded yesterday The child knocked a plug out of a washing machine that was filled with hot water

Prussian Miners Riot.

BERLIN, Sept 24—(Special)—Severe rioting among miners at Moors, Prussia is reported A mass meeting was attacked by police Two were killed in the fight

Elect Officers Tomorrow.

HARRISBURG, Sept 24—(Special) Officers are to be elected tomorrow by the convention of the State League of Republican Clubs, in session here

Companies Combined.

The State Mutual Telephone & Telegraph Company has come into possession of the property in Canonsburg, South Canonsburg and Huston

P. R. R. Conductor Killed.

James Rider, a Pennsylvania freight conductor, was killed at the Bessemer works of the Atlantic Crushed Coke Company while drilling in cars

Union Veteran Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Union Veteran Legion will be held Friday evening in Rutsek's hall A full attendance is desired

Terrorized Train.

Henry Kelly, a negro terrorized a B & O train between Fairmont and Morgantown Saturday evening He is locked up at Morgantown

The Ladies Circle.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Ladies Circle to the G A R will be held Thursday afternoon in the Odd Fellows hall

MADIGAN HONORED.

Elected a Member of the National Geographic Society

J D Madigan, Superintendent of the plant of the Pittsburg Brewing Company, has been elected a member of the National Geographic Society. The society is made up of men throughout the United States who are interested in Geographical development and the diffusion of knowledge relative to the geography of the country

ADVANCE SALE

Of Seats for Peggy From Paris and Lion and the Mouse Opened This Morning.

The advance sale of seats for "Peggy From Paris, George Ade's new musical comedy to be presented at the Colonial theatre Saturday afternoon and evening and "The Lion and the Mouse" which will be the attraction Tuesday October 1 opened this morning at Huston's drug store The sale of seats has already been large especially for the former attraction it being the first musical attraction presented here this season The show ran five months in Boston, three in New York and four in Chicago and received big notices from the Eastern papers The attendance promises to be a record breaker and those desiring to see this attraction should not delay in reserving seats

"The Lion and the Mouse" was presented here last season before one of the largest audiences of the season and was pronounced as one of the best attractions of the kind ever presented at the local theatre Commencing Monday November 4 The Lion and the Mouse will show a week at the Nixon Theatre Pittsburg

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live Local News From All Parts of the Town.

Autumn

Earl Bower has returned home from a several days visit in Buckhannon W Va

Mr and Mrs Joseph Seisson of W Main street returned home [illegible] from a visit with relatives [illegible]

Miss Elizabeth Bunn [illegible] returned home yesterday afternoon after a visit with [illegible] Mrs Charles Watson of North Pittsburg street

Mr and Mrs Charles [illegible] City were the guests of Mr and Mrs L M Holland on Sunday

Try our classified advertisements

Rev and Mrs W [illegible] Mr and Mrs W S Ringe and [illegible] have returned home from [illegible] where they attended the [illegible] conference of the Pittsburg [illegible] Association

Advance sale of seats for "Peggy from Paris" now open at Huston's [illegible] State phone No [illegible]

Miss Ruth Stillwagon of [illegible] Main street who has been the guest of her sister Mrs J L Keush [illegible] for the past few days returned home yesterday afternoon

J B Skinner has returned home from Buffalo N Y where he attended the annual meeting of the National Protective Legion Mr Skinner was a delegate from the local Legion

Mrs William Watson of Somerfield was shopping in town yesterday

Watch our ad in the special bargain day ad for Monday September [illegible] a number of [illegible] sawed 18 inch hemlock shingles at the Youghiogheny Lumber Yard New Haven Pa [illegible] First street We will have on hand at that time 175,000 of these shingles and the price for that day will be lower than any time after that date

B L Overholt Miss Helen Overholt Mr Newcomer and Frank Hill of Scottdale and Miss Mary Welmer of West Newton composed an automobile party from Scottdale on Saturday [illegible] The party on their arrival here went to Clark's Cafe where a chicken and waffle supper was served in the private dining room

Get a copy of The Sunday Courier

Mrs Elizabeth Robinson of Glade Farm W Va is the guest of Mr and Mrs Morris Custer of Snyder street

Dr S D Woods & Son Dentists First National Bank Building [illegible] State phone 158 Crown and bridge work a specialty

Harry Jones of Greensburg was the guest of relatives in town Sunday

Mr and Mrs J M Eldar of West Newton were in town yesterday on their way to Cumberland

Miss Lucy Stillwagon Miss Sarah Snyder Mrs Alice Osborne Miss Sara Mitchell and Miss Jessie Work spent Sunday at Ohiopyle

Do you know that Pinesalve Carbolized acts like a poultice in drawing out inflammation and poison It is antiseptic For cuts burns eczema cracked hands it is immediate relief Sold by Graham & Co

Mrs Frank Jeffries and daughter Pittsburg are here on a visit to relatives

Mr and Mrs Jacob Bengal of Adelaide were the guests of Mr and Mrs Harry Bengal of Snyder street Sunday

Hollis L Davenny of Pittsburg violin teacher Tuesdays at First National Bank Building Connellsville Pa

Miss Emma Schweitz of Pittsburg is visiting friends here and in New Haven for a few days

Miss Clara Pritchard of the South Side has returned home from a several weeks stay at Ohiopyle

It comes put up in a collapsible tube with a nozzle easy to apply to the soreness and inflammation for any form of Piles it soothes and heals relieves the pain itching and burning Man Zan Pile Remedy Price 50 cents Guaranteed Sold by Graham & Co

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs F J Byers on Murphy avenue

J A Boyce clerk in the B & O offices has returned home from a few days' visit to his former home in Baltimore

At all grocers Gold Coin Flour

Miss Lima Bower of South Arch street left this morning on a visit with friends and relatives in Philadelphia

Miss Jane Wishart of Dunbar was in town last evening on a little shopping trip

It is a well known fact that persons living in the Pine forests do not suffer from kidney diseases One dose of Pine-ules at night usually relieves backache Thirty days treatment $1.00 Your money refunded if not satisfied Sold by Graham & Co

Mrs John Skiles and daughter Mrs Louis Otto, went to Pittsburg yesterday to visit relatives They were called there by the serious illness of Mrs H S S[illegible] daughter of Mr [illegible]

Seats at Huston's for the success of the century, "The Lion and the Mouse"

Mrs D J Hoover of East Main street has returned home from a few days visit with her daughter Mrs W H Knoll of Pittsburg

Miss Clara Pippin of the South Side was the guest of friends in Greensburg Sunday

Use only the best Gold Coin Flour

Mrs James Brown and daughter Miss Mildred of Carlisle are the guests of the former's niece Mr Emma Van [illegible] of West Apple street

If your white clothes have a yellow cast from using soap powders try Climax Washing Tablet

An Uniontown party composed of Burgess A D Soisson J M Wylie Grey Wade Marietta Edward Marietta Jas Batt[illegible] North Anderson Clem Stillwagon George Marietta Earl [illegible] Stillwagon Captain Ed Dunn and W H Marietta left this morning for Washington Pa After spending several days there they will journey to Wheeling and from there to Carmichaels Greene county where they will take in the fair

A household necessity, Gold Coin Flour

J S McKee of the South Side left for Baltimore this morning on business

Rings Dyspepsia Tablets do the work Stomach trouble dyspepsia indigestion bloating etc, yield quickly Two days treatment free Ask your druggist for a free trial Sold by Graham & Co

Mr and Mrs Levi Richard of Mt Lake Park Md are the guests of friends and relatives here after spending several days with their nephew Christian Fehrel in Uniontown They will also visit Mt Pleasant before returning home

Seats at Huston's for the success of the century "The Lion and the Mouse"

Mr and Mrs William Hankins returned home Saturday evening from a wedding trip to the Eastern cities Mrs Hankins was formerly Miss Florence Eichelberger

Misses Clara and Elizabeth Frew of Charleroi have returned home after a visit with friends here

Mrs W D Gilchrist of Ohiopyle has returned here after a visit with relatives here

Silney M Hamilton of Pittsburg piano teacher Wednesdays at 404 First National Bank Building Connellsville, Pa

Mrs M J Adams of Rockwood is the guest of her daughter Mrs Vincent Gallagher of Highland avenue today

Mrs N M Scott and Mrs J P Scott of Dunbar were calling on friends in town last evening

Advance sale of seats for "Peggy from Paris" now open at Huston's Tri State phone No 4

Mrs Bishop and daughter Miss Florabelle of Perryopolis were in town this morning on a little shopping trip

Thurston Moore of the South Side has returned home from a several days visit to his former home at Buckhannon, W Va

Miss Mary Harper of Dunbar was calling on friends in town this morning

Have you tried Gold Coin Flour?

Mr and Mrs J S McKee of the South Side returned home Saturday from Do[illegible] where they were the guests of the latter's parents Mr and Mrs William Cummings

B J Shaughness decorator for the Wright-Metzler Company is in Uniontown today on business

Mothers with little children need no longer fear croup colds or whooping cough Bees Laxative Cough Syrup tastes good It works off the cold through the bowels cures the head [illegible] Sold by Graham & Co

Dr Mary Cox of Uniontown was the guest of Mrs G S Connell of East Main street last evening

Miss Ann White of West Peach street and Miss Kathryn Frisbee of West Main street have returned home from a three weeks sojourn at Atlantic City

Wright-Metzler Company



In Connellsville, Tuesday, September 24th we will hold our eighth semi-annual opening. In Uniontown, Thursday, September 26th, we will formally open our big Uniontown establishment.

Two days that should command the intense interest of all who desire to gain advance and authoritative knowledge of the Fall and Winter Models of 1907-'08.

We will present strikingly broad collections of Women's Tailored Suits, Wraps, Gowns, Robes, Millinery, Furs, Dress Goods, Silks, Trimmings, Leather Novelties, China, Cut Glass and Silver, and in addition a superb showing of Men's apparel and dress accessories The most elaborate decorative schemes we have ever attempted forms a fitting back ground for the biggest and most comprehensive collection of fashionable apparel and dependable Merchandise that it has ever been our pleasure to present.

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We have the best Skates money can buy and have without doubt one of the best skating floors in Western Pennsylvania. No dirt, no dust. Accommodations perfect

Skating Sessions: 2:30 until 5:30 and 7:30 until 10:30 P. M.

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